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FRANCE.

WILL DECLINE.

LONDON, June 6, 5 A. M.—A special dispatch to the *Times*, from Versailles, says that it is the intention of the Orleans *Princes* to decline the seats to which they have been elected in the Assembly.

A JOURNALIST DEAD.

M. Auguste Vermorel, the well-known radical journalist of Paris, is dead.

RETURNING.

Members of the Diplomatic Corps are returning to Paris.

FRENCH LOAN.

A new French loan of £100,000,000 is proposed.

SETTLING A GOVERNMENT.

LONDON, June 6.—A letter from M. Guizot published to-day, advocates the validation of elections of the Assembly of the Duke D'Aumale and Prince De Joinville, and the settlement of a form of government for France by a vote of nations.

APPOINTMENTS.

VERSAILLES, June 6.—The *Official Journal* announces the following appointments: Lamberechi, Minister of the Interior; Le Franc, Minister of Agriculture; General Clay, Minister of War; Leon Say, Perfect of the Seine and General Lello, Ambassador to St. Petersburg.

ELECTIONS.

The *Official Journal* also states that the time for holding the supplementary elections has not yet been fixed. Tranquility prevails throughout France.

THE DUTY OF THE ASSEMBLY.

The *Constitutional* says: The first duty of the Assembly is to fill its vacant seats, one hundred and twenty seats; next to assume constitutional power, and finally to order a plebiscite for the determination of the question of a future form of Government.

ARRESTED.

Shumacker, the murderer of Generals Lecomte and Clement Thomas, has been arrested.

TRIALS.

The trial of Rocheforth and Assy has been postponed.

DEVILISH INGENUITY.

Wires have recently been discovered in the sewers of Paris, through the agency of which it was intended to blow up the city.

GAMBETTA.

Gambetta is still at San Sebastian.

CANDIDATES.

PARIS, June 6.—Several of the officials under the Empire will become candidates at the supplementary elections for Assembly.

The *Verite* thinks all ministers who belonged to the Government of the 4th of September should leave the present cabinet. The same journal expresses its opposition to a plebiscite.

The *Journal Debats* praises the course pursued by the English Government and people during the war.

FORTRESSES.

The fortresses proposed for the interior of Paris have been located at Montrouge and Chaumont, and engineers have already commenced work upon them.

IN THE CITY

PARIS, May 6.—The postal service is now completely restored.

It is announced that twenty thousand Communist prisoners will be sent to New Caledonia. The discovery of important documents rendering new indictments necessary has delayed the trials by court martials at Versailles.

THE PRINCES.

VERSAILLES, June 6.—Thiers, in his conference with the committee appointed by the National Assembly to consider the bill concerning the Orleans Princes, urged that conditions should be attached by which the Princes were not to hold office before the expiration of two years, and were liable to exclusion from France if they engaged in any intrigue looking to their restoration to the throne. It is now noticed that Thiers has ceased to insist on these conditions.

PLACE VENDOME.

The bill introduced in the Assembly for rebuilding the Column in the Place Vendome has been withdrawn.

ENGLAND.

MINISTER SCHENCK WELCOME.

LONDON, June 6.—The *Times* welcomes Minister Schenck to England.

CANADIAN.

LONDON, June 6.—The House of Lords has passed the bill authorizing Canada to organize territorial governments in the country lying between the Dominion and the Pacific coast.

COOLIES BURNED AT SEA.

Advices from Hong Kong, May 18th, report that the ship Coolie, from Macao for Callao, was burned at sea, and 600 coolies perished in the flames. The particulars receiveu are conflicting.

LONDON, June 6—The steamship New York arrived at Southampton and the Aleppo at Queenstown. The steamship Baltimore touched at Southampton and the Prussian at Moville.

ITALY.

HIGH MASS.

ROME, June 6.—By order of the Pope a solemn high mass was said to-day in honor of the French priests assassinated by the Communists in Paris.

THE POPE'S JUBILEE.

ROME, June 6.—An encyclical letter has been issued calling on the Catholics throughout the world to give thanks to God on the occasion of the Pope's jubilee.

ROUMANIA.

OPENED.

BUCHAREST, June 5.—The sessions of the Roumanian Chambers were opened to-day by Prince Charles, who met an enthusiastic reception.

PRUSSIA.

RESTORED.

BERLIN, June 6.—The commercial relations between Germany and France have been restored to the same footing as before the war.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, June 6.—Consols 91¾; money 91¾. Account—5-20's '62, 90¾; do '65, 90¾; do 67, 90¾; 10-40's 88¾.

FRANKFORT, June 6—5-20's, 92, 98; 1-10's, 98.

PARIS, June 6.—Rentes, 3 per cents, 53 francs 47 centimes.

MANCHESTER, June 6.—Market firm.

LIVERPOOL, June 6—Cotton active; middling upland nearly 8¾@8¾d. Corn—No. 2 mixed 35s 6d. Others unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA.

Photographic.

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—The third annual exhibition of the National Photographic Association of the United States opened this morning at Horticultural Hall with a picture display of the finest photographic works of art from all parts of the world.

THE FIRE.

The total loss by the fire yesterday in Marshall street was $110,000. There were twenty-six dwellings seriously damaged and twelve others slightly. Insurance on the mill property, $60,000. About forty families had their furniture damaged or destroyed.

HOMEOPATHIC.

The Homeopathists celebrated the twenty-seventh anniversary of the American Institute of Homeopathy, by a convention this morning at Mercantile Library. Dr. Guernsey, chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, delivered an address welcoming the delegates. The President of the Institute, Dr. Bickwith, of Cleveland, responded.

ANOTHER FIRE.

A fire broke out this morning in Commerce street, near Sixth, in the printing office of Spangler & Davis, destroying the upper portion of the back buildings, which were tenanted by Percival & Collins, paper and rags; and C. J. Effroser, gas fixtures. The warehouse of E. K. Frijon & Co., dealers in pistols, guns and ammunition, was damaged by the falling walls. Stock injured by water. Loss about $70,000.

BURNED.

Halloway's shoddy mills, west of Philadelphia, were burned this afternoon. Loss $20,000.

QUINCY.

Murderer Arrested.

QUINCY, June 5.—Capt. Bush, Sheriff of Collin county, Texas, arrived here this morning with a requisition for Stephen Ballou, indicted by the Circuit Court of Collin county for the murder of James P. Golden, of this place, in October last. Ballou has been confined in jail in Chicago for some time past upon indictments for forgery and larceny. Capt. Bush will leave for Texas with the prisoner to-morrow.

RAIN STORM.

A heavy rain storm passed this section this afternoon.

CANADA.

The Toronto Races.

TORONTO, June 6.—The races continued yesterday. The race for mile heats was won by Mohawk; time 1:51. The dash of one mile was was won by Primrose; time 1:58¾. The Dominion Handicap of one and one-fourth miles was won by Nettie; time 2:19¾.

NEW YORK.

The New York Central Case—General Grant and Mr. Bancroft—Russian Relations—The Erie Strike—Seven Years.

NEW YORK, June 6, 1871.

THE NEW YORK CENTRAL CASE.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says: The report that the Attorney General will decline to recommend an appeal or compromise in the case of the New York Central scrip dividend tax is incorrect. The case has not been submitted to the Attorney General, but to the Solicitor of the Treasury Department, and he will not act on it until his return from California. The New York Central Railroad Company has secured the services of Caleb Cushing to argue the appeal, and he has applied to Commissioner Pleasanton for certain papers filed with him by the counsel of the road. Mr. Pleasanton refused to give these up, on the ground that upon them he based his decision, and that public safety requires him to retain possession of them. If ordered by the court to produce them he will allow them to be used in evidence, without, however, constructively going out of his possession. The plea of the Railroad Company, that they never had the money on which the tax is levied, and that there is no longer any New York Central Railroad, that corporation having been consolidated with the Hudson River, it is not considered by good lawyers to be valid, especially as the resolution declaring the dividend admitted that it was made from surplus earnings, and no consolidation can deprive the government of its dues. The Collector has been ordered to collect the tax immediately, and if there is any delay in paying it, Commissioner Pleasanton will seize the property of the Company and sell it according to law.

GEN. GRANT AND MR. BANCROFT.

The *Herald's* Long Branch correspondent says: Gen. Grant, in an interview, stated that Mr. Bancroft, Minister to Berlin, desires to resign and go to Italy to live, but as he is well posted on the San Juan question, to retire him soon would be injudicious. Before October arrives the treaty will be fixed all right, and as Mr. Bancroft has asked to be allowed to resign then, he can do so without injury to our interests. In speaking of General Sherman in connection with the Presidency, Grant, said he, and Sherman were warm friends. He was not prepared to speak for him, but he was pretty sure Sherman would not stand on the Democratic platform. Sherman is no Democrat, and never was. The President is satisfied with Boutwell and his policy, and sees no necessity for a change. He further states that he knew but little concerning the disagreement between Secretary Fish and the Russian Minister, but supposes the affair to be a very trivial one. When reported to him he will be able to say what to do with it if it should be worth while to do anything.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE.

The Grand Masonic Lodge of the State of New York began its annual session at Apollo Hall, in this city, to-day. Grand Master Anthon, in his address, said he had recalled from the Commission their representative to France, and that fraternal relations were impossible with French Masonry and other bodies should be overture. The annual reports of various officers of the Grand Lodge were submitted, showing receipts for the past year of $65,355, and disbursements of half and Asylum Fund to date are $115,873, and the number of members admitted to the order in the State last year was 5,650. The Lodge authorized the Secretary to erase from the rolls the names of members in arrears of dues.

THEATRICAL CASE.

The Marine Court to-day tried the case of Grau, theatrical manger, vs. Brignoli. The plaintiff testified that Brignoli engaged him for last season as manager of opera in Chicago, that the venture failed and Brignoli paid him nothing. The defence was that Brignoli had an understanding with Grau that he was to be paid nothing until Brignoli made $500 a week profit, which sum was never realized. Verdict for the plaintiff.

CABLEING.

The Atlantic Cable Company to-day announced that the cable tariff for ten word messages, after July 1st, will be ten dollars in gold; date, address and signature to be counted and paid for. The limit of messages to fifty words is removed, and press dispatches hereafter will be charged at full rates.

SEVEN YEARS.

John Gebney, who on the 14th of April, attempted to cut down the crucifix in St. Vincent's Catholic Church, and wounded with a knife a man who seized him, was convicted at the Court of Oyer and Terminer, of felonious assault, and sentenced by Recorder Hackett to the State prison for seven years.

THE PRESIDENT.

President and Mrs. Grant arrived at the Fifth Avenue Hotel this morning from Long Branch, and leave this afternoon for West Point. Numerous politicians, office-seekers and others thronged the hotel, but only a favored few were granted an interview.

THE STRIKE.

A telegram from Port Jervis states: The strike of the brakemen on the Erie Railway which began at Hornellsville on the western division, has extended to the Delaware and Susquehanna divisions. The men now demand $2.25 per day, and the pay day the 15th of every month.

ARRIVED.

The steamer Java has arrived srom Liverpool.

The steamships City of Washington, has arrived from Liverpool, and the Ville de Paris from Brest.

SEIZED.

The tax collector of Brooklyn to-day seized the organ of the Pacific street Methodist Church because the assessment for street paving was not paid.

HORACE GREELEY.

The public reception of Horace Greeley will probably take place on Friday evening, at the Lincoln Club house, Union Square.

GRANT'S MOVEMENTS.

When President Grant returns from West Point next Monday he will visit Washington for a few days on official business.

DIED.

The wife of Major-General John G. Foster died at the Astor House early this morning.

PERSONAL.

Gen. J. C. Breckinridge is in this city.

NEW ORLEANS.

More of the Flood.

NEW YORK, June 6.—A special dispatch from New Orleans last night says: Twenty-five hundred houses have their ground floors under water, and more than that number of families are rendered homeless and desolate. The canal runs from the heart of the city to Lake Ponchartrain. This is always navigable, ten or twelve feet deep, and the river steamers are perpetually coming and departing. The damage done by the flood is estimated at $500,000. The break began to threaten on the night of the 31st ult. The Canal Commissioners sold to certain persons the right to remove the dirt from the levee to fill their vacant lots. On Friday morning one of these men was at work with a wood scraper carrying away the levee at the point where the weakness was manifested. A colored man named Lucern Tennigan, living by, begged him to cease, for as each wind was blowing and the water of the lake swollen by the immense torrent pouring in from the Mississippi by way of the Bonnet Carre crevasse were rapidly backing up to the city. He was driven away by threats. The next morning a chasm 185 feet wide was opened in the levee. Suits will be entered against the Canal Company to make good the damages.

IOWA.

Extensive Fire.

SIOUX CITY, June 5.—A fire broke out on third street, in this city, at half-past two o'clock this morning, and completely destroyed three wooden buildings. The loss is as follows: Edward Hean, building, $1,500; insurance $1,0 0. The building was occupied by Charles Hanson as a boot and shoe shop, and the loss on the stock is $800. N. J. Fumman, building, loss $2,000, insured for $1,200. It was occupied as a milliner store, and the loss on the stock is $300. R. H. Guinz, building and photographic gallery, loss $2,200; insured for $800. The fire is supposed to have been started by the explosion of a kerosene lamp left burning in an unoccupied room.

A FRESHET.

The steamboat Miner arrived from up the river at half-past eleven to-day, and reports a heavy rise in the river at Yankton of nearly six feet in twenty-four hours. She came down ahead of it, making the trip from Yankton to Sioux City, a distance of one hundred and seventy-one miles, in the unprecedented short time of seven hours and thirty minutes. The river has come up about three feet here to-day and is still rapidly rising. Reports from up the river are that the indications are that the June will be one of the highest ever known.

GALVESTON.

A Flood.

GALVESTON, June 6.—A terrible storm has prevailed here since last Saturday noon. The wind forced the waters of the gulf on the Island covering it to a depth of several feet on the east part of the city. About two miles of track of the Galveston, Houston and Henderson Railroad is washed away two miles above the city. The bridge across the bay is safe. The steamship Alabama of the Morgan line with a cargo of cattle and sheep from Rockport to New Orleans went ashore twenty miles West of here on Sunday and will probably be a wreck. The bark Virginia Dare, from Cardiff for Galveston with a cargo of railroad iron, went down about six miles east of here Sunday night. The crew consisting of fourteen men, were yesterday taken from the masts where they had been lashed since two o'clock Sunday morning. Many buildings in the lower part of the city have been washed away. No lives lost. Six inches of rain has fallen since Saturday 2 P. M. The storm also prevailed to a great extent at Houston, and much damage was done there. There were heavy rains at all the Telegraph Stations in the interior.

ST. LOUIS.

Resigned.

ST. LOUIS, June 6.—Ira Duvall, State Superintendent of Public Schools, has resigned. He was a most efficient officer, and declines on account of ill health.

RAILROAD TRANSFER.

The Missouri Railroad is about to pass into the hands of a new company.

Drowned.

BOSTON, MASS., June 6.—Samuel Allen, John Wagstaff, Wm. Alvery, Jno. Wargroft and Wm. Bernford, all young men, were drowned yesterday at North Andover while fishing.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK.

THE CAPITAL.

Revenue Matters.

THE TREATY.

Postmasters' Salaries.

MR. SEWARD ABROAD.

An Important Land Case.

CROP REPORTS.

The Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, June 6, 1871.

THE TREATY IN ENGLAND.

Private letters received in this city from England state that Disraeli will positively support the treaty of Washington. His influence added to that of Sir Stafford Northcote in the House of Commons is expected to carry the majority of the Tory party.

POSTMASTERS SALARIES.

The salaries of Postmasters throughout the country are to be readjusted on the basis of their receipts during July and August of this year. The new schedule of salaries will go into effect July 1st, 1872.

MR. SEWARD.

Mr. H. Risley lately received letters from his daughters stating that Mr. Seward's party were at Suez, May 5th, and were going thence through Egypt. They had already travelled over thirty thousand miles.

IMPORTANT LAND CASE.

An important case, involving the title to nearly two hundred thousand acres of valuable land in Minnesota, has just been decided by acting Secretary Cowan, of the Interior Department. The case was between the St. Paul Pacific Railroad Company and George T. Brett. The latter claimed to have pre-empted the land, while the company alleged that it was covered by the land grant of March 3d, 1857. Secretary Cowan decided that as the lands whatever should be conveyed to said railroad company until the right of Mr. Brett to the land was recovered by him at law against the company. The decision was confirmed by the subsequent Secretary. General Cowan to-day received the decision and satisfied how the company will be certified to them, except the tract claimed by Mr. Brett. A warrant will also be issued to Mr. Brett for the lands claimed by him, when the validity of this title will doubtless be tested in the courts.

THE WEATHER.

The weather has remained sensibly unchanged since Monday afternoon at the Pacific and Rocky Mountain stations. The temperature fell rapidly last night in Illinois, but has recovered to-day and has fallen very generally this afternoon from Illinois to the Lake Ontario. The pressure now is somewhat below the average from the Mississippi to the Atlantic. The highest pressure is reported on Lakes Erie and Ontario. It has fallen from Ohio to Missouri. Southeasterly winds have prevailed during the day on the Atlantic coast and fresh northwesterly winds from Central Illinois to Wisconsin and westward. Heavy rain storms have been reported from Illinois to Lake Superior and are now in progress from Indiana to Lake Huron, with threatening weather in Western Tennessee and on Lake Ontario.

Probabilities.—Clear weather is probable for Wednesday from Pennsylvania to Iowa and Southward. It is probable that thunderstorms and rainy weather will be experianced from Ohio to Lake Ontario and the extreme eastern States, Tuesday night. Partial clear to clear weather on Wednesday. The threatening weather with showers and thunder storms is a remnant of the storm which was at Galveston, June 4th and Key West, June 1st.

SOUTHERN OUTRAGES.

The subcommittee cases of the investigation of alleged outrages in the South held a meeting which lasted three hours to-day. The meeting was occupied with the examination of Governor Orr, of South Carolina. He stated that he had no personal knowledge of the Ku Klux, but believed that they existed in his section of the State. He expressed an opinion that the Ku Klux organization did exist in some counties in South Carolina, and that their object was to intimidate colored people from voting at the election in 1872. He believed that the Constitution of the Council of Safety, published in the Charleston *Republican* last February, was the basis of the organization.

BRIGHAM YOUNG'S SON.

The President had nothing to do with the appointment of the Mormon boy to West Point. The appointment was made by the Utah delegate. The President of the delegation said it was his intention to have asked the Attorney General if he had power to prevent the appointment, but answered unfortunately would have settled the matter right away. The President said he sent the appointment to Thomas Fraiis Meagher's son to the War office and it was returned with an endorsement, that the appointment had been made by a New York member of Congress.

NO TRUTH.

There is absolutely no truth in the recently published Washington dispatch stating that Sickles notified the President to understand that the question of restoring the sequestered estates of American citizens in Cuba must be settled as an alternative of the employment of force. These very claims are referred with all matters in dispute for settlement by Convention, which was recently concluded. The idea of force, therefore, is preposterous.

THE CROPS.

Rumors having been circulated that the Department of Agriculture has predicted a very short crop of cotton in 1872, it is proper to state that the estimates of the past year have been made officially, and no reports concerning it have been issued this season. An estimate of the crop will be made by the Department and the condition of the crop will be made in about two weeks.

MORE FAVORABLE.

Reports received at the Internal Revenue Bureau from officers in the South are more favorable than they have been for several months past. No opposition is now made to the collection of taxes in the regions where the greatest trouble recently occurred.

REVENUES.

The receipts from the Internal Revenue sources for the first six days in the month of June, to-day, were $1,500,000, compared with the same time in June, 1870, shows a falling off of nearly five million dollars.

THE STRIKE.

The discontented colored laborers renewed their interference with the white employees on the public works to-day. Several arrests were made, a large force of police preventing any serious outbreak.

NOT TO BE ONE.

The Secretary of State himself is authority for the statement that Fish is not to be one of the arbitrators in the case of the Alabama Claims.

RUSSIA RELATIONS.

Our relations with Russia are very cordial and it would take a great deal to disturb them.

JAMAICA.

Returned.

KINGSTON, June 5.—The British Consul of Maracaibo returned to his post, the British Minister at Caracas having refused to send gunboats to his assistance.

FIRE.

Advices from Gonaeves to the first contain an account of a terrible fire which destroyed a large number of buildings.

COFFEE.

The prospect for a heavy crop of coffee was excellent. San Domingo advices say the crops of all kinds are promising heavy yields.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Irish Exiles.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 6.—The exiles of Erin, Cubby and Burke, received an immense ovation on their arrival from the east last night, and were escorted to their hotel by an immense civil, military and torchlight procession. They addressed an audience of fifteen to twenty thousand people. The eastern correspondents of the party, including Mrs. Sinclair and daughters, Mrs. Albert Richardson, Packard, Tribune and others, returned from Yosemite this evening after a magnificent trip. The party was stampeded near Inspiration Point by a bear. Nobody hurt. The excursionists leaving for Yosemite rate fifty to one hundred daily.

CINCINNATI.

Drowned.

CINCINNATI, June 6.—Charles Zoger, a young lad, was drowned in one of the Mill Creek ponds last night.

EFFECTS OF THE STORM.

The storm of Sunday broke the Miami and Erie Canal in several places between Franklin and Miamisburg. The canal boat Bernard, in lock at Miamisburg, was sunk during the rain, and the cook of the boat came near drowning.

CHICAGO.

Railroad Meeting.

CHICAGO, June 6.—The annual meeting of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad [illegible] held in this city on Wednesday, June [illegible] election of directors. It is rumored there will be no extra stock or cash dividend declared.

Ports.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 30, VIA HAVANA, June 6.—Port Ventaza has been closed and Salina Cruz has been substituted. The government is increasing the regular army, which the opposition say is to maintain Juarez in power. Romero has triumphed over his accusers.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Murder and Suicide.

CONCORD, June 6.—Louis Ayer shot and killed his wife at Manchester last night, and then shot himself. He may recover. Jealousy was the cause.

ENGINEERING.

This city has never in its political records presented so lively a scene as to-day. All the politicians of the State are here engineering for the organization of the Legislature to-morrow. All but ten of the 167 Representatives are calculated upon as democratic. The Democrats are claiming the organization of the House by ten majority, in which event the Senate vacancies will not be filled until after the convention for counting the Governor vote, as the Senate will not organize if the Democrats are successful. G. W. N. Pittman, (Democratic,) of Bartlett, will be elected president of the Senate, and W. W. Gove, labor reform, of Weare, speaker of the House, and Jas. P. Jackson, of Lincoln, clerk. The Republican members express themselves confidently as to the result of the Republican caucus. Representatives Scott of Keene, and Johnston, of Pittsburgh are ill and not able to be present. The Republican candidate for Speaker will probably be Col. Wm. C. Vatten, of Kingston, and J. H. Benton, Jr., clerk. Well informed politicians calculate on Weston's election as Governor by a close vote, say five, and the Democrats say they can elect him even if the House is organized by the Republicans. Members are not called upon to be present before this evening, but there is already a larger relative representation of members elect present than ever voted in the organization of the Legislature.

THE ELECTIONS.

There is no reason to change the prediction that Weston will be elected. No doubt a majority of the House is made up of heretofore Republicans, but for one reason or another they will coalesce with the Democracy.

TITUSVILLE.

Oil Market.

TITUSVILLE, June 6.—The *Courier* reports the Petroleum market as follows: Sale—Upper Reed, 1000 bbls, spot, $4.97½; do do, 2000 do do $5; do do, 2000 do B. O. June, $5.10; do do, 3000 do B. O. June, $5.12½; do do, 2000 do S. O. sixty days, $5.02½. Petroleum Centre, 600 do regardless, $5.15; do do 500 do do, $5.20; do do 1000 do do, $5.20. Lower Reed, 3000 do B. O. June, $5.25; do do, 3000 do 45 gravity, $5.30. Oil City, 1000 bbls 47 gravity $5.40. Coal City, 4000 bbls gravity, $5.25.

The excitement of yesterday continued today and bubble was active but was principally confined to the Lower Road. Prices have slightly advanced, the highest ruling at the close. Short interest more bullish and convinced that no lower prices would be paid before June 30, settlements will be made as rapidly as possible. Upwards of 25,000 bbls, first contracts, were settled for to-day on the Lower Road, and 15,000 bbls of oil are in demand. On the Upper Road there was a moderate business done, but $5 is well established in the market for spot. On the Lower Road the figure was $5.23, at which settlements were effected. At Oil City there was very little offered at less than $5.50, too high for buyers; no more than $5.40 was paid.

ASPINWALL.

Panama and Peru.

ASPINWALL, June 3, via KINGSTON, June 5.—The affairs of the Isthmus of Panama are quiet. Advices from Peru state that the prosperity of the country is increasing.

BOLIVAR.

Bolivar dates to the 10th of May have been received. The Ministry were unpopular. The Indians are warlike and threatening and had seized several haciendas. There were several candidates for the Presidency and troubles were expected.

GAUTEMALA.

Gautemala dates to the 19th of May have been received. The Revolutionists had captured Esquintla. The inhabitants were highly interested at the Government and affairs were threatening.

THE RIVERS.

CINCINNATI, June 6.—River eight feet—fallen six inches. Arrived—Hudson from Wheeling; Palestine and Charmer from Evansville. Departed—Hudson for Wheeling; Annie Laurie for Kanawha; Abercona for St. Louis. Cloudy and cool. Every this afternoon and evening. Business dull.

CAIRO, June 6.—Colorado, from Vicksburg for St. Louis, 2; Bonz, from New Orleans to Louisville; J. H. Bigley, from Cairo to New Orleans, 10; Mohawk, from Arkansas River to St. Louis, 9; Mohawk, from St. Louis to New Orleans, 10; Memory, from New Orleans to Cairo, 11; Continental, from Cairo to Louis to Memphis, 12; City of Chester, from St. Louis to Memphis, 12; Rob Roy, from Cincinnati to Vicksburg; Henry Ames and City of Alton, New Orleans; Capital City, Kansas City; Governor, St. Paul; Rob Roy, Keokuk. River still falling here, but the Missouri is rising rapidly. Heavy rain last night. Weather cooler to-day.

EVANSVILLE, June 6.—Weather partly cloudy and hot. River fallen 2 feet. Down—Lawrence and Alaska. Hunt Bros. Cincinnati, 6 P. M.: Nightingale, 3 P. M.; Mary Ament and Rose Hill, 7 P. M.; Florence Lee and Arkansas Belle, 6. Up—Idlewild, Belle Vernon and Argosy, 4 A. M.; Low Water, 6; Fayette and Shenandoah, 8; Annie Hill, Comet, 12.

LOUISVILLE, June 6.—River falling slowly; 2 feet, 6 inches in chute, and 4 feet 6 inches in canal. Weather warm. Rain raising this afternoon and to-night. Business very dull. Arrived—Lioness, Mary Houston, Nick Longworth from New Orleans. Argosy from New Orleans to Cincinnati expected to-night.

VICKSBURG, June 6.—Down—Groesbeck, M. J. Wicks, W. S. Pike. Up—H. C. Yeager, Belle of Memphis. Weather warm. Heavy rains continue and planters are very much discouraged. River falling at the rate of one foot per day.

NASHVILLE, June 6.—River rising with six feet on Harpeth shoals. Weather fair and oppressively warm. Departed—Mollie Able for Cairo. Departed—Burksville, Upper Cumberland.

NEW ORLEANS, June 6—Departed—R. E. Lee, Vicksburg; Glencoe, Louisville; Kellogg and barges, St. Louis; Virginia, Louisville; John Kyle and barges, Memphis; Ben Franklin.

MEMPHIS, June 6.—Weather clear and warm. River falling. Up—Natchez and Julia. Down—City of Vicksburg, Indiana and Legal Tender.

Live Stock.

BUFFALO, June 6.—The cattle market continues dull, although the receipts are somewhat lighter, there being only 270 cars to-day. Lower Road 150 cars, 50 of which are for sale, nearly half of them are going east in first hands. Advices from the west and east were such as to keep off buyers, but a few sales were made to local butchers. The market is 5c lower than last week, and the supply is of good quality. Sales ranged as follows: 20 Ohio steers weighing 1222 to 1370 lbs at $5.25@5.50; 50 Illinois steers, $5.25@5.85, and 16 do on private terms. The market is firmer; 3 loads Kentucky lambs went through east in first hands; sales 4½ weighing 90 to 96 lbs at $4.75@5. Hogs—Receipts of 92 cars; 80 went east, there being no demand; 296 sold at $4.35@4.50.

WATERTOWN, MASS., June 6.—The receipts of beef cattle were 346 head; offerings are generally of good grades, and prices have fallen off 50c per cwt. Sales at $8@9.50; second quality $8@8.50; third quality $6@7.50. Sheep not in the market for great part of the week; sales 1,800 at prices ranging from 5½ to 6½c per lb; extra $6.75@7.50; veal calves $9@12.

BREVITIES.

FIVE HUNDRED delegates in town yesterday.

COUNTRY DELEGATES patronized soda fountains regardless of expense yesterday.

CAPTAIN DALZELLIEL, candidate for City Treasurer, considers his chances improving daily.

ALLEGHENIANS are feeling bad because they have no representative in the nominations of yesterday.

THE deaf mutes of the Pittsburgh school will give a very interesting exhibition in Library Hall on Thursday evening.

THE new City Hall is expected to be completed and the offices removed to that building, by the first of January next.

VEGETATION all around is suffering greatly for want of rain. We hear much complaint made by our friends in the country.

AT a meeting of the city property committee, yesterday, arrangements were effected to secure a suitable site for a new lock-up.

THE new coaches received on Monday, by the Connellsville R. R. Co., are very elegant. They are from the celebrated works of Jackson & Sharp, Wilmington Del., and are highly creditable to the manufacturers.

A HORSE driven by Dr. Roberts became frightened yesterday in South Pittsburgh and ran off, upsetting the buggy and injuring the Doctor slightly. The horse ran across the bridge, and was stopped in front of the Central Hotel.

ARCHIBALD PILLOW, late a County Commissioner, and a candidate yesterday for County Treasurer, is lying very ill with small pox, at his residence at Springdale, on the West Pennsylvania Railroad. It is reported that he will not recover. We sincerely regret to learn these sad tidings.

A. WHITLEY, brought an action before Alderman Strain yesterday, against H. C. Reamer, for assault and battery. It seems that the difficulty grew out of a dispute concerning the proper location of a fence, which wound up in a fight with picks, stones, &c., Reamer, "putting an ear" on Whitley.

THE prospect now is, that arrangements will be made by which open-air concerts shall be given every Wednesday and Saturday evening throughout the summer, at some place in the Allegheny parks. The location changes from one place to another. It is believed that the city will pay for it.

THE inquest on the body of George Montague, the dead and dying man who was found on Monday evening at the metal yard, was concluded last evening at the office of Alderman Neubert, on Grant street, the jury finding that Montague came to his death by being accidently run over by cars of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

THE constable attached to the office of a certain Penn street Alderman was escorting an intoxicated female jailward last evening, and it was the opinion of many who witnessed the scene that the officer administered more bad whisky than did his prisoner. Such things cannot be tolerated, and will be exposed upon another similar provocation.

THE funeral of Wentworth Wilson took place yesterday, and was attended by a large number of the friends of the deceased. The remains were first conveyed to St. Peter's Church, on Grant street, where appropriate services were held, after which the cortege proceeded to Allegheny Cemetery, and the body was there consigned to its last resting place.

OUR colored friends of the Grace Memorial Church are enjoying themselves at their fair and festival in City Hall, which began last Monday night. The attendance is good, the refreshments excellent and the various articles offered for sale neat and tasteful. The Washington Cornet Band is there and discourses the music at intervals. The festival will be continued for some days.

THE new elegant Lutheran church on Stockton avenue is progressing rapidly, thanks to the energetic exertions and watchful eye of Christian Yeager. The second story walls are almost ready to receive the roof, while the whole edifice promises to be very ornamental. A tall spire, one hundred feet high, is to adorn the front, and the time will now be very short before this edifice will be numbered as one of the most prominent of Allegheny's almost innumerable houses of worship.

ALLEGHENY SCHOOL CONTROLLERS.

The Meeting Last Night—The Proposed High School—The Matter Left to the Voters of the City—Other Items of Business.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of School Controllers for Allegheny City was held in the Allegheny Common Council room last evening, at 7½ o'clock.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mr. King and an opening prayer offered by him.

The roll of members was then called, the absentees being only a number.

The Secretary then read the minutes of the preceding meeting, which were on motion approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Visiting Committees for the different wards of the city then made their Reports. A new feature in the reports was introduced, the name of corporal punishment was notified in a few cases but generally there was no report on this matter.

The Committee on Finance reported that $500 had been expended for the purchase of a safe and $9 00 for hauling of same. They also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to draw warrants in favor of Fleming & Co., $30 for safe, and McMish & Butler, $9 00 for hauling.

The Committee on Teachers reported as follows: No. of teachers in different wards:

1st ward	13	6th ward	18
2d ward	26	7th ward	9
3d ward	26	8th ward	8
4th ward	22	9th ward	8
5th ward	15	Colored Schools	3

The following resolution was appended to the report:

Resolved, That we recommend that the Seventh ward and also the Colored Schools be allowed the same number of teachers for the ensuing term as for the past term.

On motion report accepted and resolution adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HIGH SCHOOL.

Mr. Sloan, from the Committee on High School, made a report on the subject, which has already appeared in our columns. The report was adopted.

It was moved and carried that the first resolution be taken up for discussion.

Mr. Sloan moved the establishment of exclusive institutions for Allegheny city would be a step against consolidation.

Mr. McKance was opposed to the resolution. He thought it not entirely necessary at present, but not until the school debt of the city was decreased.

Mr. Eaton thought that Dr. Nesbitt did not understand the temper and spirit of the Allegheny people concerning consolidation. The rich could do without this school, but the poor, the grain tax collector at Bathang says that for several days before the earthquake the water had overflowed the dyke, but after it the earth cracked in many places, and black, fetid water spurted out in a stream 20 feet high. At one time the spurting instantly followed, just as is the case with salt and fire wells in the eastern parts of the province, and this explains how it happened that fire followed the earthquake in Bathang. As nearly as is ascertained there were destroyed in the temples, the offices of the collector of grain tax, the local magistrate, and the colonel, the Tinglin temple, and nearly seven hundred fathoms of wall around it, and 351 rooms in all inside; six smaller temples numbering 221 rooms, besides 1,849 rooms and houses of the common people. The number of people, soldiers, and Lamas killed by the crash was 2,298, among whom were the local magistrate and his second in office. The earthquake extended from Bathang eastward to Pang Chahe-mup, westward to Nan-tun, on the south to Lin-tsah-shin, and on the north to the salt wells of Anting, over a circuit of over 400 miles. It occurred simultaneously over the whole of this region. In some places steep hills split and sunk into deep pits, in others hills and level spots became precipitous cliffs, and the roads and highways were rendered impassable by obstructions. The people were scattered and beggared like autumn leaves, and this calamity to the people of Bathang and vicinity was more than the people of the whole province could distribute that has happened. The Governor General twice memorialized the Emperor respecting it, who granted aid to relieve the misery, reopen the roads between the post-houses, and rebuild or repair the offices and dwellings as they were needed. Many are now resuming their occupations and the roads are everywhere passable.

Mr. Bigham moved that the Board, falling regularly on July 4th, was postponed until July 11th.

Mr. Sprague introduced the following resolutions, which were adopted:

WHEREAS, There is now existing in the city of Allegheny a contagious disease, and there is danger of it becoming epidemic for the want of proper Sanitary Regulations therefore

Resolved, That a due regard for the health of the children in the schools under our control demands that all necessary arrangements should be made at once for the preservation of their health.

Resolved, That we request the Councils to at once organize an efficient Board of Health.

Warrants were ordered to be drawn for a number of miscellaneous bills.

The Board then adjourned.

BIRMINGHAM COUNCIL.

The Council of Birmingham held a regular monthly meeting last evening in Burgess Salisbury's office.

Members present—Messrs. Atterbury, Zeifel, Doyle, Duncan, Kerr, Schneider, Schwarm, Conway and Burgess Salisbury in the chair.

The Clerk read the minutes of previous meetings, which were approved.

Mr. Atterbury, from the Finance Committee, presented the statement of the Borough Treasury, as shown by the books of the Treasurer, Mr. Beech. It showed a balance of $1,186.41. The Committee had also examined the reports of the borough officers, and found them correct.

The committee also reported in relation to the raising of the salary of the Burgess to $100, instead of $50, as heretofore, and also to allow the cl

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STATE.

AUDITOR GENERAL.
DAVID STANTON, of Beaver Co.
SURVEYOR GENERAL.
ROBT. B. BEATH, of Schuylkill Co.

COUNTY.

STATE SENATORS
JAMES L. GRAHAM.
MILES S. HUMPHREYS.
ASSEMBLY:
First District—JAMES TAYLOR.
Second District—M. EDWARDS.
Third District—JOHN GILFILLAN.
D. N. WHITE.
H. K. SAMPLE.
J. W. BALLANTINE.
ALEX. MILLAR.
CONTROLLER—HENRY WARNER.
TREASURER—SAMUEL KILGORE.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY—THOMAS M. BAYNE.
ASSIST. DISTRICT ATTORNEY—J. B. FLACK.
COMMISSIONER—JOSEPH DILWORTH.
SURVEYOR—ROBERT CLAUSTON.
DIRECTOR OF THE POOR—J. G. MURRAY.

BONDS at Frankfort, 96¾.

GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 112¼@112¾.

MR. GEORGE W. CHILDS, Proprietor of the Philadelphia *Public Ledger*, sails to-day in the Scotia, from New York for Europe. He may be said to be the factor of his own ample fortune. He is a man of fine impulses, noble heart and liberal hand.

HARK! A voice from the Tombs. Robert speaks his mind on the new departure, and says

When you can tear the live thunder from its home in the burning ether, and bind it a captive at the footstool of tyranny, then, and not till then, will I accept the situation.

IT APPEARS that President Grant did not appoint Brigham Young's son, as a Cadet to West Point. He had nothing to do with the appointment. We hope this will be entirely satisfactory to the Democratic journals, which, as usual, have been soundly berating the President for a matter for which he is not responsible.

ALLEGHENY CITY failed to obtain a place on the Assembly ticket. This was owing wholly to the fact that too many names were presented from that city, and of course their strength being thus divided they all failed to secure the nomination. They are undoubtedly entitled to one assemblyman, if not two, and it is to be regretted that they failed to obtain any.

IF THE editor of the *Post* will examine our paper of May 26th, he will find the resolution he wishes us to publish in our editorial columns. We had supposed that his Argus eye would not have overlooked such an important matter. Will he now tell us whether he intends to join with his party in their future enterprise, under the leadership of Jefferson Davis, of declaring the thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth amendments unconstitutionally adopted?

TO-DAY Pittsburgh is to be honored with the presence of some one hundred of the leading journalists of the country, members of the Western Associated Press. These gentlemen in the aggregate represent millions of readers, and as manufacturers of public opinion are the most powerful body in the land. We hope their stay among us may be pleasant and agreeable, and that they may become better acquainted with our people, their interests and peculiarities. We are sure we but reflect the sentiment of the entire community in bidding them hearty and sincere welcome.

WHAT is to become of the white man's government? Last year the Democrats declared that they would never submit to any thing but a white man's rule. Now they pretend to be in favor of negro suffrage, and contend for the equal rights of all men whatever may be their race, color or condition. Surely they cannot and will not denounce Republicans who have given them the only political platform upon which they can stand with safety. But should they fail to carry their ticket next fall, they may adopt a new platform. The Democracy are becoming very fickle and elastic. They will swallow any thing that will secure political power. Principles they have not. The virtue of sincerity would be a new companion to them.

DURING the past year, the Presbyterians of this city established a Seminary for the instruction of young ladies, known as the "Presbyterian Female College." The buildings are located on one of the most beautiful and commanding sites in the neighborhood of East Liberty, but within the city limits. The success of the Institution is almost without a parallel. It has been crowded ever since it was first opened, and so numerous are the applications for admission, that the trustees have been constrained to erect additional buildings. The corner stone of the "New Extension" will be laid with appropriate ceremonies next Thursday afternoon. We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation, through the excellent Secretary of the Board of Trustees, to be present on the occasion.

OUR Ohio exchanges bring us the not unexpected intelligence that the Democratic party in that State were never in a more forlorn or despairing condition than at present. They are divided into many and diverse factions, each one of which thinks it has been basely sold and betrayed. Those of the old line complain that that they are called upon by the Montgomery county and Columbus platforms to endorse the doctrine of negro equality, and that their glorious traditions are dishonored and disgraced. The young bloods feel that they have been sold by the variations in the State platform, and the refusal of McCook to endorse it. Vallandigham seems to be the only man that is hopeful. But although he has accepted, he has not realized the "situation." The few Republicans, too, who were cajoled into a support of the Democracy on the negro question, feel that they have been badly sold, and are retracing their steps toward their "first love," being persuaded by the events of the past few weeks that it was better for them when held in her embrace than it is now. Republicans, do not rest on your oars; you have a golden opportunity to augment your already invincible strength.

OUR COUNTY CONVENTIONS.

This morning we place at the head of our editorial columns the ticket put forward for the support of the people by the several Republican Conventions of yesterday. It has rarely been the good fortune of the party to have such unexceptionable and strong candidates as those found in the list, and we can see no good reason why they should not one and all be elected by an old fashioned majority that will in figures leave ten thousand in the shade. The Republican party of Allegheny was never more thoroughly united than at the present time. Nothing whatever exists to mar its harmony. The conduct of public affairs during the past year under Republican rule has been very creditable, and has afforded the largest measure of satisfaction to all citizens and taxpayers. The pledges for needed reforms given the people last fall have all been faithfully, honestly and honorably kept, and, while at the outset, many were disposed to view as idle and time-serving the promises made that *inside* the party would reformation be effected, there can now hardly be found one intelligent citizen of either party who will not assert that our great Republican organization of Allegheny dared to do all that was right, conscientious and honorable towards the people. We are expected to do much in the campaign just entered. The whole State depends on our work, on our majority, for the victory that will have its weight in determining in what way will be terminated the Presidential struggle of next year. We hazard nothing in promising to roll up such a majority in this section next October as will save the State to Republicanism, no matter what other localities may do. But we must not be idle. We must work. We have every incentive for spirited action. We have full knowledge of the importance of the campaign, and may truthfully hold that our county has the verdict to render in the coming election, whether or no a Republican administration shall be kept in power, and the nation preserved in peace and prosperity. We have a good and strong State ticket. Not a word can be uttered against either of the gentlemen who have place upon it. They are worthy the support of all honest citizens. The county ticket is equally good, and under such banners we cannot fail to secure a glorious victory and such as will fill the loyal people of the entire nation with joy and gratitude.

THE TICKET.

The Republican Conventions yesterday were very orderly and harmonious. The people were particularly fortunate in their selections of delegates. Rarely have better men found seats in political bodies, and each and every one seemed fully impressed with the importance of his vote and act. A good and fair ticket was nominated. No Republican can with reason refuse it his conscientious and hearty support. The candidates are all so well known to our people as representative citizens that we feel it is entirely unnecessary to enter this morning into an elaborate biography of them.

For State Senator from Allegheny side, Hon. James L. Graham was nominated, receiving one hundred and ten votes out of one hundred and eleven cast. A more fitting compliment to a more sterling citizen could not have been paid. Mr. Graham has for several terms ably and faithfully represented Allegheny county in the Senate and has ever maintained an unimpeachable reputation. His record at Harrisburg is without a single blemish or stain, and his ability as a leader has never been questioned.

Hon. Miles S. Humphreys, has also been nominated for Senator. He is the true type of the Republican statesman. A laborer at the puddling furnace, as well as a finished orator and ripe scholar, he preeminently fills the idea of the true American sovereign. He has for several terms represented the people in the lower branch of the State Legislature, and has made an enviable reputation all through the commonwealth.

For Assembly Messrs. John Gilfillan, D. N. White, Alex. Millar, H. K. Sample, James W. Ballantine, M. Edwards and James Taylor were nominated. A better selection could not have been made. The ticket combines genuine strength and solidity. Messrs White, Millar and Taylor have each been sent several times to the Assembly and have all made good records. Mr. Sample has served in the Legislature as Sergeant-at-arms and is widely known and respected, standing very high in the estimation of this community. Mr. Ballantine comes of good Republican stock. He was a brave soldier during the war, and since his return has done good service for the party. Mr. Gilfillan is a representative of our agricultural interests. He is perhaps as well known as any other enterprising and progressive farmer in the State. Active, shrewd and go-a-head-ative, he is the very man to become a leader in Harrisburg. His services to the party have been very valuable, and we think that no other selection could have afforded more universal satisfaction. Mr. M. Edwards is a self made man. He commenced life as an apprentice in a glass factory, and through skill, industry and application has risen to affluence. He is largely interested in the manufactories of our city, and closely identified with all that pertains to Pittsburgh. He has served as a member of our City Councils for several successive terms, always commanding the respect of his colleagues and the confidence of his constituents.

For County Commissioner, Joseph Dilworth, Esq., was nominated. Few of our citizens are better known. He has of late figured in the Court House in a conspicuous manner, having with several other prominent gentlemen resolved on a fair construction and administration of the license law. Without being oppressive, and not fearing to do right by all men, Mr. Dilworth has made both friends and enemies by his course, but the right-minded and God-fearing members of all parties cannot but admire his moral courage and determination. He is one of the strongest men on the ticket and will receive the hearty and solid support of not only the temperance element of society but also of all liquor venders who believe in living up to the letter and spirit of the laws.

Col. T. M. Bayne was nominated for District Attorney. He was a brave, good soldier during the war, making for himself an enviable record. Accomplished and agreeable, with an iron will and determination that may be fought, but not broken, he is just the man for the important position to which nominated.

J. B. Flack, Esq., the present very efficient Assistant District Attorney, was renominated, the Convention thus worthily honoring a pains-taking and faithful officer.

For Surveyor, Mr. Robert Clugston, a practical civil engineer, a clever gentleman, and an out-and-out Republican, was nominated. He is a good card for the party, and will lend much strength to the general ticket.

Mr. Henry Warner, one of Allegheny's most popular and best esteemed citizens, was nominated for Controller. He is a gentleman of large ability and education, and has served the people both in City Councils and the Legislature. Under his management the affairs of the county will be well conducted.

Capt. Samuel Kilgore, present superintendant of the Markets, was nominated for County Treasurer. He is very generally known and wherever known highly respected and esteemed.

The compliment of re-nomination to the office of Poor Director was paid Mr. James G. Murray, who has well and faithfully discharged the duties pretaining to that responsible office in the past.

Altogether, our ticket is a good one, and now it behooves all true Republicans to go to work for the candidates with such a will and determination as will secure their election by a good, old-fashioned majority, that will assure the country that Allegheny county yet stands faithful and true to the principles of the Republican party and the nation.

Gargle for Sore Throat.—Strong sage tea, half pint; strained honey, common salt, and strong vinegar, one table spoonful of each; Cayenne pepper, pulverized, one rounding tea spoonful; steep the Cayenne with the sage; strain and mix in a bottle for use. Gargle from four to a dozen times daily, according to the severity of the case.

SUMMERFIELD'S SECRET.

"A Million of Dollars or I'll Set the Pacific Ocean in Flames"—Fate of a Man Who Once Burnt Up a Mountain Lake in Fifteen Minutes—A Remarkable Story.

In the Sacramento *Daily Union* of a recent date appears the extraordinary statement of one Leonidas Parker, written before his death, and giving what purports to be a true account of his connection with the murder of Gregory Summerfield. The latter individual has been known for many years as "The Man with the Secret," and he met with a horrible death at the age of seventy years, by being pushed from the platform of a train upon the Union Pacific railroad, near the north fork of the American river, at a place called Cape Horn. The unfortunate wretch was hurled downward a distance of over one thousand feet upon the bristling rocks at the foot of the declivity. Parker, who was upon the platform at the time of the catastrophe, was twice arrested and tried for the alleged murder, but was on each occasion mysteriously acquitted, once by a justice and the second time by a grand jury.

Parker was himself a distinguished lawyer of Sacramento, and was widely respected. He always remained silent concerning the circumstances of the imputed crime, but shortly before his death he placed in the hands of a friend a document, the gist of which we give below, the entire story taking up nearly a page of the Union.

Referring to George Summerfield, the murdered man, Mr. Parker speaks of him as having been one of the deepest chemical students of the age, a natural mathematician, a profound astronomer, and a man of excellent general literary attainments. Parker had known Summerfield for over twenty years, their acquaintance having been formed in Texas during the days of the republic. Continuing his account Parker says

One day toward the close of last September an old man rapped at my office door, and on invitation came in, and advancing called me by name. Perceiving that I at first did not recognize him, he introduced himself as George Summerfield. After inviting him to a seat I scrutinized his features more closely and quickly identified him as the same person whom I had met twenty-two years before. He was greatly altered in appearance, but there was the old charm of intellectual superiority in conversation, and I welcomed him to California as an important addition to her mental worth.

"It was not many minutes before he requested a private interview. He followed me into my back office, carefully closed the door after him and locked it. We had scarcely seated ourselves before he inquired of me 'if I had noticed any recent articles in the newspapers respecting the discovery of the art of decomposing water so as to fit it for use as a fuel for ordinary purposes?'

"I replied that I had observed nothing new upon the subject since the experiments of Agassiz and Prof. Henry, and added that, in my opinion, the expensive mode of reduction would always prevent its use.'

"In a few words he then informed me that he had made the discovery that the art was extremely simple, and the expense attending the decomposition so slight as to be insignificant.

"Presuming that the object of his visit to me was to procure the necessary forms to get out a patent for the right, I congratulated him upon his good fortune and was about to branch forth with a description of some of the great benefits that must ensue to the community, when he suddenly and somewhat uncivilly request ed me to 'be silent,' and listen to what he had to say.

"He began with some general remarks about the inequality of fortune amongst mankind, and instanced himself as a striking example of the fate of those men who, according to all the rules of right, ought to be near the top, instead of at the foot of the ladder of fortune. "But,' said he, springing to his feet with impulsive energy 'I have now the means at my command of rising superior to fate, or of inflicting incalculable ills upon the whole human race.'

"Looking at him more closely, I thought I could detect in his eye the gleam of madness; but I remained silent and awaited further developments. But my scrutiny, stolen as it was, had been detected, and he replied at once to the expression of my face: 'No, sir, I am neither drunk nor a maniac; I am in deep earnest in all that I say; and I am fully prepared, by actual experiment, to demonstrate beyond all doubt the truth of all I claim.'

"For the first time I noticed that he carried a small portmanteau in his hand; this he placed upon the table, unlocked it, and took out two or three small volumes, a pamphlet or two, and a small, square, wide-mouthed phial, hermetically sealed.

"I watched him with profound curiosity, and took note of his slightest movements. Having arranged his books to suit him, and placed the phial in a conspicuous position, he drew up his chair closely to my own, and uttered, in a half hissing tone

"'I demand one million dollars for the contents of that bottle, and you must raise it for me in the city of San Francisco within one month, or scenes too terrible even for the imagination to conceive, will surely be witnessed by every living human being on the face of the globe.'

"The tone, the manner, and the absurd extravagance of the demand, excited a faint smile upon my lips, which he observed, but disdained to notice.

"My mind was fully made up that I had a maniac to deal with, and I prepared to act accordingly. But I ascertained at once that my inmost thoughts were read by the remarkable man before me, and seemed to be anticipated by him in advance of their expression.

"'Perhaps,' said I, 'Mr. Summerfield, you would oblige me by informing me fully of the grounds of your claim, and the nature of your discovery.'

"'That is the object of my visit,' he replied. 'I claim to have discovered the key which unlocks the constituent gases of water, and frees each from the embrace of the other, at a single touch.'

"'You mean to assert,' I rejoined, 'that you can make water burn itself up.'

"'Nothing more nor less,' he responded, 'except this—to insist upon the consequences of the secret, if my demand be not at once complied with.'

"'Now, suppose I thing the contents of this small phial into the Pacific Ocean, what would be the result? Dare you contemplate it for an instant? I do not assert that the entire surface of the sea would instantaneously bubble up into insufferable flames; no, but from the nucleus of a circle, of which this phial would be the centre, lurid radii of flames would gradually shoot outward, until the blazing circumference would roll in vast billows of fire upon the uttermost shores. Not all the dropping clouds of the deluge could extinguish it; not all the tears of saints and angels could for an instant check its progress. Onward and onward it would sweep, with the steady gait of destiny, until the constituents would melt with fervent heat, the atmosphere glare with the ominous conflagration, and all living creatures—in land, and sea, and air—perish in one universal catastrophe.'

"Then suddenly starting to his feet, he drew himself to his full hights, and murmered solemnly, 'I feel like a God! and recognize my fellow-men as pigmies that I spurn beneath My feet.'

At this Parker states that he attempted to reason with Summerfield on the absurdity of believing that he held in his hands power so mighty, at which the latter retorted with quotations from the scriptures, Humboldt's Cosmos, and the works of famous astronomical writers, proving that it was not only possible for entire planets to be destroyed by fire, but that such terrible events had actually occurred. This answer concluded, he handed Parker a small phial requesting him to open it and smell of its contents, the result being that a strong odor of potassium was observed. At this Summerfield continued, "Of course," said he "you are familiar with the chief characteristic of that substance. It ignites instantantly when brought into contact with water. Within that little globule of potassium I have imbedded a pill of my own composition and discovery. The moment it is liberated from the potassium it commences the work of decomposing the fluid on which it floats. The potassium at once ignites the liberated oxygen, and the conflagration of this mighty globe is begun.

"'Yes,' said I, 'begun, if you please, but your little pill soon evaporates or sinks, or melts in the surrounding seas, and your conflagration ends just where it began.'

"'But,' sneered he, 'the elementery substances in that small phial recreate themselves; they are self-generating, and when once fairly under way, must necessarily sweep onward, until the waters in all the seas are exhausted.'

"Rising from my seat, I went to the wash stand in the corner of the apartment, and, drawing a bowl full of Spring Valley water, I turned to Summerfield and remarked, 'Words are empty, theories are idle—but facts are things.'"

"I take you at your word." So saying he approached the bowl, emptied it of nine-tenths of its contents, and silently dropped the potassium coated pill into the liquid. The potassium danced around the edges of the vessel, fuming, hissing and blazing, as it always does, and seemed on the point of expiring, when to my astonishment and alarm a sharp explosion took place, and in a second of time the water was blazing in a red, lurid column half way to the ceiling.

"For God's sake," I cried, "extinguish the flames or we shall set the building on fire!"

"Had I dropped the potassium into the bowl as you prepared it," he quietly remarked, "the building woule indeed have been consumed." Lower and lower fell the flickering flames, paler and paler grew the blaze, until finally the fire went out, and I rushed up to see the effect of the combustion.

"Not a drop of water remained in the vessel! Astonished beyond measure at what I had witnessed, and terrified almost to the verge of insanity, I approached Summerfield and tremblingly inquired, 'To whom, sir, is this tremendous secret known?' 'To myself alone,' he responded, 'and now answer me a question, is it worth the money?'

"It is entirely unnecessary to relate in detail the subsequent events connected with the transaction. I will only add a general statement, showing the results of my negotiation. Having fully satisfied myself that Summerfield actually held in his hands the fate of the whole world, with its millions of human beings, and by experiment having tested the combustion of sea water, with equal facility as fresh, I next deemed it my duty to call the attention of a few of the principal men in San Francisco to the extreme importance of the secret in question.

"A leading banker, a bishop, a chemist, two State University professors, a physician, a judge and two Protestant divines were selected by me to witness the experiment on a large scale. This was done at a small sandhill lake, near the sea shore, but separated from it by a ridge of lofty mountains, distant not more than ten miles from San Francisco. Every single drop of water in the pool was burnt up in less than fifteen minutes. We next did all we could to pacify Summerfield, and endeavored to induce him to lower his price and bring it within the bounds of a reasonable possibility. But without avail. He began to grow urgent in his demands. The sub-committee soon commenced work amongst the wealthiest citizens of San Francisco, and by appealing to the terrors of a few and the sympathies of all, succeeded in raising one-half the amount within the prescribed period. I shall never forget the woe-begone faces of California street during the month of October. The outside world and the newspapers spoke most learnedly of a money panic—a pressure in business, and the disturbances in the New York gold room. But to the initiated there was an easier solution of the enigma. The pale specter of death looked down upon them, and pointed with his bony finger to the fiery tomb of the whole race, already looming up in the distance before them. Day after day I could see the dreadful ravages of this secret horror; doubly terrible, since they dared not divulge it. Still, for all that we could, the money could not be obtained. The day preceding the last one given, Summerfield was summoned before the committee, and full information given him of the state of affairs. Obdurate, hard and cruel, he still continued. Finally, a proposition was started that an attempt should be made to raise the other half of the money in the city of New York. To this proposition Summerfield ultimately yielded, but with extreme reluctance. It was agreed in committee that I should accompany him thither, and take with me, in my own possession, evidences of the sums subscribed here; that a proper appeal should be made to the leading capitalists, scholars and clergymen of the metropolis, and that when the whole amount was raised it should be paid over to Summerfield, and a bond taken from him never to divulge his awful secret to any human being.

"With this he seemed to be satisfied and left us to prepare for his going the next morning.

"As soon as he had left the apartment the bishop rose, and 'deprecated the action that had been taken, and characterized it as childish and absurd.' He declared that no man was safe one moment whilst that 'diabolical wretch still lived that the only security for us all was in his immediate extirpation from the face of the earth and that no amount of money could seal his lips or close his hands. It would be no crime, he said, to deprive him of the means of assassinating the whole human family, and that, as for himself, he was for dooming him to immediate death.

"With an unanimity that was extraordinary the entire committee coincided.

"A great many plans were proposed, discussed and rejected, having in view the extermination of Summerfield. At last it there was the want of that proper caution which would lull the apprehension of an enemy; for should he for an instant suspect treachery we knew his nature well enough to be satisfied that he would waive all ceremonies and carry his threats into immediate execution.

"It was finally resolved that the trip to New York should not be abandoned, apparently. But that we were to start out in accordance with the original program; that, during the journey, some proper means should be resorted to by me to carry out the final intentions of the committee, and that whatever I did would be sanctioned by them all, and full protection, both in law and conscience, afforded me in any stage of the proceedings.

"Nothing was wanting but my own consent. I asked the privilege of meditation for one hour, at the hands of the committee, before I would render a decision either way. During that recess the above argumentation occupied my thoughts. The time expired, and I again presented myself before them. I did not deem it requisite to state the grounds of my decision; I briefly signified my assent, and made instant preparations to carry the plan into execution.

"Having passed on the line of the Pacific railway more than once, I was perfectly familiar with all of its windings, gorges and precipices.

"I selected Cape Horn as the best adapted to the purpose, and * * * the public knows the rest.

"Having been fully committed by two tribunals of the law, I make this final appeal to my fellow men throughout the State, and ask them confidently not to reverse the judgment already pronounced."

Nasal Catarrh.

The Cincinnati *Gazette* contains the following valuable communication:

RUTLAND, MEIGS CO., O., May, 1871.—A lady reader asks some one to tell her how to cure nasal catarrh. I reply as briefly as possible, yet a word or two in explanation will be necessary, for if she is like most ladies, she will require a "reason for the hope that is within her" before she will attempt to realize it.

Nasal catarrh originates within one or both of two irregular cavities called the frontal sinuses. These are situated just above the bone of the nose, and are connected with the nasal cavities by very tortuous canals which run back ward almost in a horizontal direction. They are of considerable length and very irregular in size, the opening from the canal into the sinuses being only large enough to admit the end of a probe.

Now, in order to remove the trouble, a remedy must be applied which must reach the seat of the disease. To accomplish this it must reach the frontal sinuses. But how is this to be done?

Suppose that we attempt to apply a remedy in the form of snuff or powder, where will it go? Just as surely as dust will fall on the current of wind, so will snuff, and the current in this case is manifestly along the shortest line from the nose to the lungs, so that relief can only be obtained from that portion of the catarrhal inflammation which has worked downward into the nasal passages.

The nasal douche is an instrument which has been much lauded, and is as worthless as it is common. From the very anatomical nature of the parts, it is utterly impossible to throw any liquid into the frontal sinuses with such an instrument, for even if the sinus should be reached it would not fill for reasons to be stated presently.

Then what must we do? I'll tell you. Procure a bottle which will hold half a pint or so, bore a hole in it near the bottom about as large as a goose quill. This you can do by taking a steel drill and moistening it with turpentine. Then procure a small rubber tube two and a half or three feet in length; fasten one end of it into the hole you have drilled in the bottle and your instrument is complete.

Take chlorate of potash, 1 ounce, and dissolve as much as you can in a pint of water and use this as your remedy.

Now for the application. Having filled the bottle which has the tube attached, holding the bottle in the hand, lower than the head, place the other end of the tube in one side of the nose, and holding the nose so that it will not "leak," turn the head forward and downward, until the top is down as low as possible; then raise the bottle with the other hand as high as you can, and the pressure of the liquid column will force the liquid through every cavity. The object in lowering the top of the head, or rather inverting it, is this: The frontal sinuses, like small vials, will not fill if forced entirely under a liquid, as long as the mouth is downward, but as soon as inverted fill immediately. This is why they are not filled by a douche.

Tell our "lady" to throw away all patent nostrums and try this common sense treatment. Make the application twice per day and she will experience relief in a short time. To effect a complete cure the treatment must be continued for some time. To cure nasal catarrh is a "big job" and requires perseverance as well as medicine.

"I have said this much in mitigation of my plea," with as much brevity as the nature of the case would allow, and I hope our lady, who has the commendable good sense to read the *Gazette*, will only be one among the many who will profit by this little piece of advice.

G. G. PARKER, M. D.

THE STRONGEST TESTIMONY

Of any to be found in favor of any medicine that we have ever known, is that which we have recorded in the GAZETTE for the past year corroborative of the extraordinary powers of Dr. KEYSER'S BLOOD SEARCHER. Not simply here or there a case that set at naught all other tried remedies and compounds, but cases in every part of the city or vicinity, whose violence had defied every known means of cure. Dr. KEYSER'S BLOOD SEARCHER seems to possess almost talismanic virtues, equalled only by the extraordinary skill of the Doctor himself, when he ought to bear against the inroads and ravages of disease. We have the pleasure herewith to append another certificate of cure by one of our most reliable citizens, which we commend to the notice of the afflicted:

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Closing quotations as received by James T. Brady & Co:

Gold	112¼	5-20 Jan. & Jy. '65	114¾
U. S. 6s, 1881	117¼	5-20 Jan. & Jy. '67	114¾
U. S. 5-20 1862	112	5-20 Jan. & Jy. '68	114¾
U. S. 5-20 1864	111¾	C. P. U. 1st	93
U. S. 5-20 1865	111¾	C. P. U. 2d	83
U. S. 10-40	110	Cy. Pacifics	115¾

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, June 6, 1871.

ASHES—Common Soda Ash, 4¾@4¾; refined do, 4¾@4¾; Pearls, 9@9½; Pots, 7¼@7¾.

BUTTER—Continues very dull but prices are nominally unchanged; 12@14c for fair to good and 15@16c for strictly prime. Grease Butter, 9@10 cts.

BEANS—There is some little inquiry for prime navy but common do not seem to be wanted at any price; the former may be quoted at $2.

BROOM CORN—Dull and unchanged.

BEESWAX—Quoted at 30@32 cts.

CEMENT—Louisville, $2.50@2.75 per bbl Rosendale, $4.00@4.50; Calcined Plaster, $4.25 @4.50.

CANNED GOODS—We are reported sales of Tomatoes at $2¾@2⅞; and Corn at $2¾@2¾. Peaches, $3.25@3.50 for 3 lb cans, and $2.25@ 2.50 for 2 lb cans.

CARBON OIL—Is quoted firm at 23½@24 for standard brands—usual advance for small lots.

CHEESE—Dull but unchanged; prime Goshen, 13¼@14, prime Factory, 12¾@13; Dairy, 11@12c.

COUNTRY BACON—Continues very dull but unchanged; smokers, 6@6½; ribbed sides, 7 @7¼; Hams, 10@12; Country Lards, 9@10.

CORN MEAL—We can report small sales at 85@90 cts per bushel.

EGGS—Continue to arrive pretty freely and the market is very dull and prices drooping; the new quote at 16@17c; the demand seems to have fallen off very materially within the past few days, owing mainly to the hot weather.

FRUITS—We are reported sales of new crop green apples, at $7@9 per bbl. Dried Fruit quiet and unchanged. Apples, 5@7 cts for quartered; 9@11c for quartered and 12@14c for halves. Oranges scarce and higher than at the east; we now quote at 16@17c; the demand seems to have fallen off very materially within the past few days, owing mainly to the hot weather.

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FLOUR—Is firm and moderately active but there is no change to make in quotations, and the demand is almost entirely local. We continue to quote red winter wheat at $7.00@7.25; white do at $7.50; family spring extras, $7.00 and choice baker's flour, $7.25. Rye Flour, $6, in a small way.

FEATHERS—Quiet and unchanged; No. 1 live geese feathers, 74@75.

GREEN TRUCK—Is coming in freely and prices are drooping. New Potatoes have dropped to $3.50@4.00 per bbl, and cabbage is quoted at $2.50@3.

GRAIN—The receipts of Wheat continue meagre and with a steady milling demand prices are well maintained; $1.45@1.48 for red and $1.55@1.58 for white. While the reports generally are favorable for an average crop of wheat, yet so long as the arrivals continue light and the supply is not sufficient to meet the demand, there will be no decline in prices. Oats, in steady demand and firm and prices are again tending upward; we can report 2 cars at 65, and 2 do at 64—small lots, in store, may be quoted at 66@68. It is generally thought now that the oats crop in this section of country will be a light one, though it is not probable that there will be much, if any, further advance, in view of the fact that at present prices they can be brought from Chicago. Corn continues very dull, though there is no quotable change in prices; we are reported sales of mixed car at 65; mixed shelled at 67@ 68 and prime yellow shelled at 69@70. Rye none arriving, and, so far as we can learn, there is not much enquiry for it; we are reported an occasional small sale at $1.00.

GROCERIES—The grocery market is rather quiet, the demand having fallen off somewhat within the last week or two, but this is nearly always the case at this season of the year. As noted in our last report, sugars, both raw and refined, are firmer, and the latter a shade higher. Our advices from the east continue to report coffees very dull and weak, with a continued downward tendency.

COFFEE—Fancy Rio, 18½; Prime, 17½; Good, 16½; Fair, 16; Roasting, 15¾@16.

SYRUPS AND DRIPS—White Honey, 72; Havemyer & Elders, 72; Silver Drips, 60; Loverings, 62; other grades, 60@55.

SUGARS—Choice New Orleans, 11½; prime, 11¼ good, 10¾; fully fair, 10⅜; Porto Rico Sugars, 10¾@11¼; Cuba, 10@11; Demarara, 11¼ @12¾.

REFINED SUGARS—Hard Sugars, 14; A Coffees, 13; "B," 12½; Extra C, 12¼; yellow, 12¼.

MOLASSES—New Orleans, choice, 70; prime, 68; good, 65.

TEAS—Fancy Young Hyson, $1 40; Good, $1 10; Fair, $1. Lower grades down to 70@75. G. P. Fancy, $1 50; good, $1 25; fair, $1 10; Imperial Fancy, $1 40; good, $1 25; fair, $1. Oolong fancy, $1 25; good, 85cts; fair, 60@70c; Souchong fancy, $1 20; good, 90c; fair, 70@80c. Japan Fancy, $1; good, 90c; fair, 75c.

RICE—Choice Carolina, 10c; prime, 9¾c; good, 9c.

SPICES—Grain Pepper, 22c. Pimento, 17c. Cloves, 30c. Cassia, 55c.

HAY—Is in steady demand and prices are maintained; sales of baled on wharf at $17@ 19, according to quality and condition.

HIDES—Quoted as follows:

HEMP—Rough Kentucky, $175 per ton; dressed, 14 cts per lb.

LIME—Sales of Cleveland at $2.25 per bbl and eastern at $1.75.

MILL FEED—Sales from store, in a jobbing way, at $1.60@1.70 for bran; $1.65@1.85 for Middlings and $2.50 for oil meal.

OILS—Lard oil continues dull and weak, and prices lower; we now quote No. 1 Extra at $62@65.

POTATOES—Are coming in more freely and, in view of the fact that the season for the old crop is drawing to a close, holders generally are anxious to realize. We now quote at $1.15@1.20 by the car load and $1.25@1.30, for small lots, in store.

PEA NUTS—Quiet and unchanged at 10@ 10¼ cts.

PROVISIONS—Plain Shoulders, 7@7¾; ribbed sides, 9; clear sides, 10; canvassed sugar cured shoulders, 10@10¼; do hams, 14¼@15; Breakfast Bacon, canvassed 13; Dried Beef, 18 @19. Lard, in tcs, 11 cts; in kegs and buckets, 12. Mess Pork, $17.00@17.50.

POULTRY—Dull but unchanged; live Chickens by the coop, at 60@75 cts per pair.

SEEDS—There is little or no inquiry for either Clover or Timothy Seeds and the season may be regarded as over. Flaxseed is scarce and wanted—may be quoted firm at $2.20@2.25.

SUMAC—Sales Tennessee Sumac at 4¾ cts.

WILLOWS—Sales Kentucky willows at 10 cts.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, June 6, 1871.

The crude market was strong and considerably excited to-day, and prices have again advanced, though there was but little done, most of the refiners having bought sufficient to fill their refined contracts; this seems to be all they want for the present, being unwilling to pay the advance now demanded. The advices from above, both at Parker and on the creek, represented the market as being strong and considerably excited, with considerable inquiry both from Cleveland and the east; also, that settlements are being rapidly made —some 50,000 bbls are reported as having been settled to-day. On the other hand, refined, although firmer and a shade higher, was comparatively quiet, and, as has been the case for some days past, there is but little disposition manifested by eastern operators to either buy or sell, particularly for future deliveries, the policy being to stick mainly to the near by months.

CRUDE.

Little or nothing doing in Pittsburgh deliveries, and as has been the case for some time past, nine-tenths of the business for this market is being bought above. However, seller June may be quoted at 13¾, delivered here, against sales yesterday at 13¾; and seller all year at 12¾. Sales early in day of 4 cars at Parker at $5.17½; subsequently 50 bbls at $5.20; 12 do at $5.25 and 18 cars at Foster at $5.25.

REFINED.

Firmer and a shade higher but quiet—not a single sale reported. June, 26; July 26¾; August 26¾; June to September, 25¾@26¾.

Quiet and weak. Country make held at $1.85 and city make at $1.95.

OIL SHIPPED PER A., V. & W. R. R.

Penn Oil Works 468, account P Hutchinson; Hutchinson & W 720, account W Stewart; Hutchinson & O W 720, account W Stewart; Citizens O W 542, account Bates & G; Forsyth & O W 160, account J K Barbour; Model O W 474, account J K Barbour; Eagle O W 322, account Bates & G; Union O W 906, account W Stewart; Sterling O W 0, account Bates & G. 3,326. Total.....

OIL SHIPPED EAST PER A., V. & W. R. R.

Fulton, Parrish & Co, 256 bbls refined oil to Logan Bros. & Co., Phila.

Fawcett, Logan, Bros & Co., Phila.

Wm. McKelvy & Co, 266 bbls refined oil to Logan, Bro & Co., Philadelphia.

P. Weisenberger, 207 bbls refined oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

Lockhart, F & Co., 98 bbls. ref. oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Phila.

Montzeimer & Koehler & Co., 200 bbls ref. oil to Warner, K & Co., Phila.

H. W. C. Tweddle 400 bbls refined oil to Manhattan Oil Co., Philadelphia.

Citizens Oil Co., 620 bbls refined oil to Tack Bros. & Co., Phila.

Total..... 2,337 bbls.

OIL SHIPPED PER WEST PENN R. R.

Union Refining Co. 263 bbls ref. oil to Logan, Bro & Co., Phila.

Elkins, Bly & Co. 100 bbls refined oil to Warning, King & Co., Philadelphia.

Total..... 363 bbls.

[By P. & A. Telegraph.]

PHILADELPHIA, June 6—12 M.—Crude 15c; refined, June 25¾@25¾c; July 26@26¼c; June to October 26¼c asked; July to August 26¾c bid. Market quiet and firm. Weather clear and warm.

5:45 P. M.—June 25¾@25¾c; July 26@26¼c; June to September 26¾c; July to September 26¾@26¾c. Crude 15c.

NEW YORK, June 6—12:30 P.M.—Market quiet and firm. Crude 15c; Refined 25¾@25¾c; B. O. all month 26c. No sales

5:30 P. M.—Market quiet and firmer: Crude 15c with small sales; refined 26c; a cargo of four thousand bbls sold at 25¾c; there is also a rumored sale of another cargo at 25¾c.

OIL CITY, June 6, 12 M.—Market quiet but firm, lower creek, $5.20@5.25; Oil City, $5.35@ 5.40. Clear and warm.

PARKERS, June 6, 12:10 P. M.—Market very strong at $5.17½@5.25.

ROUSEVILLE, June 6, 12:30 P. M.—Market quiet, but strong at $5.00; no sales.

TITUSVILLE, June 6, 12:30 P. M.—Market quiet, but firm; asking $5.05; bidding $5.

PLEASANTVILLE, June 6, 12:30 P. M.—Market strong at $5.10@5.25.

PETROLEUM CENTRE, June 6, 12:45 P. M.—Market quiet but firm; crude, spot, $5.15@ 5.20; sales were made of 1,000 bbls at $5.20.

TITUSVILLE, June 6, 3 P. M.—Market firm with good inquiry at about $5. Weather clear and warm.

TITUSVILLE, June 6, 3 P. M.—Market firm and contracts for large quantities have been settled all day, it is not known how much but thought to be 50,000 bbls. It is rumored that the Union and Titusville Railroad and other lines are being conveyed to the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, which causes considerable uneasiness and speculation.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 6, 1871.

FLOUR—Extra spring quiet and firm at $5@ 6.50.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring easier at $1.26¾@1.27¾ cash; this No. 2 dull at $1.27@1.27¾. June.

CORN—No. 2 mixed active at 53¾@53¾c cash; this 2 M. dull at 53c June.

OATS—No. 2 dull at 36c; sellers, 40¾c.

RYE—No. 2 firmer at 82½@83c.

BARLEY—No. 2 nominally at 65c.

HIGH WINES—Steady at 90c.

PROVISIONS—Firmer.

MESS PORK—$14.30 cash; $14.25@14.37 July.

LARD—Firmer at 9¾ cash; 10c July.

SHOULDERS—5½@5½c; rough sides, 7@7½c.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; shipments, 3,000.

CATTLE—Very dull at 10@12¾c; lower. $4.00 @5.50.

RECEIPTS—Hogs, 5,000, shipments, 4,000.

New York.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Cotton active and higher; middling upland 19¼c. Flour firm; superfine Western and extra $5.30@5.90; common to good extra $6.10@6.25; good to choice $6.25 @6.80; white Western extra $6.80@7.15. Ohio extra $6.25@6.90; St. Louis $6.25@7.15. Rye Flour and Corn Meal unchanged. Whisky firm at 93@93½c. Wheat in speculative demand and prices higher, with a good inquiry; No. 2 Chicago at $1.50@1.52; Red and Amber at $1.63@1.64. Rye, Barley and Malt unchanged. Corn firm with sales Western at 70@71c; Southern, 71@72c; good to choice 72c@73½c. Oats firm; Western and Ohio 63@66c. Hay and Hops unchanged. Coffee quiet and unchanged, with sales of Rio at 15¾16c. Sugar steady, with sales of 700 bbls 9¾c. Molasses dull and unchanged. Rice 9@9½c. Petr'm: crude 15c; refined 25¾c. Pork easier; mess $15 prin e $15@15.25; prime mess, new, $15.50@15.75. Lard quiet and July $15. Beef quiet; mess 10@11c; extra 14@17c; hams 20@23c; prime mess 28@30c; India 22@28c. Cut meats dull; hams 10@12½c; shoulders 5½@6c; middles quiet. Lard firmer; prime steam 9¾ 10¾c; kettle dried 10¾c; July to November 10¾c. Butter steady; western 10@21c; State 12@25c. Cheese heavy at 5@12½c.

LATEST—Flour dull but unchanged at $6.05@ 6.35 for shipping extra. Wheat steady; red and amber $1.63@1.65. Oats steady. Corn is scarcely so firm at 70@72c for good to prime mixed western. Pork quiet; $15.25 bid for July. Lard steady; 10¾c bid for August and 11c asked. Eggs steady.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, June 6.—Cotton excited and higher; middling 19@19¼c; some ask ⅛c higher. Flour firm; family $6.75@7. Wheat firm; $1.35@1.40 for red and a shade higher, at 52c. Rye dull and unchanged, at 90@91.02. Oats steady. Groceries firm. Linseed oil in light demand, at 85c. Lard oil dull and drooping, 80@82c. Eggs dull and a shade lower, 12 @13½c. Butter quiet and unchanged; Central Ohio 15@18c; Western Reserve 18@20c. Cheese dull and drooping at 10@12c. Pork quiet and weaker; $15.25. Lard steady; sales 300 at 9¾c, delivered at Indianapolis chiefly. Bulk meats firm; sales 200,000 sides clear rib, at 7c, delivered at Indianapolis; shoulders saleable at 5¾c, but held ¼c higher. Bacon steady; sales 125 shoulders at 6@6¼c; do sides 8¾c; do sides clear 9¾c. Cattle dull and declined, $2.50—5.50. Tobacco active and advanced; Kentucky a shade higher. Whisky steady, at 89c.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, June 6.—The feature in the trade to-day is an advance of ⅛c in price on all Atlantic and Pacific goods, heavy and light unbleached sheetings and shirtings, Stark A Brown sheetings have also risen ⅛c, other still unchanged. There is but little doubt but the advance will become general as we anticipated last week in sympathy with raw material. The demand in the meantime was generally light and confined to specialties suitable for the season and in small lots to supply the wants of the local trade.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, June 6.—Flour, extra spring, unchanged. Wheat No. 2 active at $1.29; regular $1.28¾; future No. 2 $1.30. Oats; No. 2 higher, 49¾c. Corn: No. 2 mixed scarce; 53c. Rye: No. 1 firm, at 83c. Barley dull and unchanged.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—Flour firm; extra spring $6.80@7.12½. Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn dull but unchanged; yellow 73@74c; mixed western 72c. Oats 67@68c. Provisions weak. Mess pork $17. Whisky 94c.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, June 6.—Cotton light and sales low; middling, 18c. Bacon; clear sides, 9½c. Hams, 15c, uncked. Lard, 11c. Corn, 72c. Oats, 70c. Wheat, $1.60 to $1.50. Flour, $5.25 to $800.

Cotton Markets.

NEW ORLEANS, June 6.—Cotton active at 18¾c.

CHARLESTON, June 6.—Cotton firm at 18c.

GALVESTON, June 6.—Cotton firm and unchanged.

Detroit.

DETROIT, June 6.—Wheat quiet and unchanged: No 1, $1.45; extra, $1.46⅝; amber $1.43. Corn quiet and firm. Oats dull and declined; 54¾c.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, June 6.—22 bbls eggs, W H Graff; 2do do, D Epler & Son; 15 sks scrap, 1 do tails, Flaccus & Son; 27 coils, Kell & Ritchart; 156 do wheat, Marshall, K & Co; 1 car corn, J W Bomgardner; 2 do potatoes, Woodworth & D; 130 bf bbls fish, J Connor; 10 tons pig iron, Nimick & Co; 134 sks potatoes, Graff & Co; 48 tcs hams, 3 do sausage, E H Myers & Co; 25 bxs candles, T C Jenkins & Bro; 25 bales b corn, 16 sks feathers, I Dickey & Co; 10 butts tobacco, W M Gormley; 5 hf butts do, S Ewart & Co; 25 tcs hams, J Parker; 8 bbls tobacco, 1 bx samples, W & D Rinenart; 13 pkgs tobacco, Cant W Jones & Co; 1 hf cask b hams, F Sellers & Co; 5 bbls whisky, F Evert; 5 do do, H Evert; 3 bbls tobacco, H Dalmyer; 1 bx frames, J W Morrison; 1 do drugs, 12 do elixirs, Harris & Ewing; 16 do g ware, Dilbridge & Son; 1 bx tongues, Reese Owens; 3 tcs hams, Briggs, Swift & Co; 40 bbls whisky, M McCullough & Co; 2 casks wood in shape, Boyd & Murray; 15 cases torpedoes, Reymer & Bro; 100 sks pea nuts, B & C Maginn; 74 kgs spikes, McKnight & Co; 2 casks glycerine, B L Fahnestock; 20 bbls onions, J A Graff.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, June 6.—8 bbls bacon, 1 keg lard, H Rea Jr; 2 bbls eggs, 2 kegs butter, Rankin Bro; 4 do do, 8 bbls eggs, Voigt, M & Co; 80 bdls b boards, H Mellett & Co; 5 bbls corn meal, W Haslage; 3 do do, J Porterfield; 38 bxs cheese, Hammond & Co; 25 do do, J S Dilworth & Co, 20 do do, J Wilson & Son; 10 do do, Jas Connor; 300 sks oats, McCracken Bro; 12 do pgs, McCullough, S & Co; 1 bbl eggs, 1 kg butter, S P Shriver & Co; 50 bdls shovels, Myers & A; 30 bxs cheese, W H Graff & Co; 5 rolls leather, G N Huffstott; 228 ctl barrels, W Hastings; 39 bxs cheese, F Duff & Son; 15 bbls oil, Rees Owens; 58 hides, Jas Caffery; 1 car potatoes, Allen & Wallace; 15 pkgs fish, Head & M; 20 pails tobacco, Dilworth, H & Co; 112 sks potatoes, 8 bbls eggs, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 2 bbls honey, C P Perrine; 10 bbls gin, 50 do b wines, Littell & M; 100 bbls flour, Watt, Lang & Co; 300 do do, Jenkins; 65 do liquor, J McCullough; 100 bbls flour, Seghmyer & V; 1 car potatoes, Bricker & Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD COMPANY, June 6—4 cars metal, Shoenberger, H & Co; 1 do do, Carnagie & Kloman; 1 do do, J Wood & Co; 2 do do, Reese, Graff & Co; 2 do do, McKnight & Co; 261 plates r goods, Graff, Bennett & Co; 109 sks potatoes, Van Gorder & S; 1 car lumber, G A Mundorf; 1 do do, Burten & Kine; 100 bbls lime, J Meskimus; 4 cars blooms, J Mourhead; 5 do do, Nimick & Co; 15 bbls oil, W Flaccus & Son; 34 bxs s machines, Smith & Forrester; 25 cases tob, Johnston & Colvin; 15 cases p ash, Bakewell, P & Co; 200 oil bbls, C A Wormcastle; 212 do do, B D Myers; 57 bales hay, J Rose; 5 bxs, 5 bbls cheese, J A Graff; 3 do do, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 5 pkgs cigars, Dilworth, H & Co; 65 sks oats, J Graham; 5 pkgs cigars, J Fullerton & Son; 1 car oats, S B Floyd & Co; 81 bdls p paper, Fgh Paper M Co; 142 sks oats, T McMichail; 2 cars pig iron, Moorhead & Co; 1 car do, Zug & Co; 1 do do, W Smith; 1 do do, Union Iron Mills.

ALLEGHENY STATION, June 6.—29 bbls flour, Chas McKnight; 7 do eggs, H Lenz; 14 do do, N Gardner; 3 cars metal, Lewis, B & D; 2 do do, Lewis, O & P; 1 do do, Graff, B & Co; 5 do do staves, J M Hemphill; 5 do do, Italya & S; 1 do do middlings, 100 bbls flour, K Knox & Son; 1 car ear corn, Johnston & McFarland; 1 bbl eggs, John Herbert; 1 car lime, J R Holmes; 1 do do, J K Shinn; 5 bbls oil, John Park, Kibs cheese, B Jenny; 398 galls s ware, C Giles; 400 do do, M A Fuches; 50 bbls crude oil, Elkins, B & Co; 2 cks cheese, J Baldinger; 1 car lumber, McCain & F; 1 do do, McKirdy & McG; 1 do do, J Nanz.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, June 6—1 car coal, Armstrong, D & Co; 1 car metal, W Smith; 2 do do, Wharton Bro; 1 do do, Lewis, O & P; 2 pkgs eggs, L J Blanchard; 15 bush wheat, W McKain; 6 pkgs bacon, Volgt, M & Co; 21 sks oats, J M Clark; 1 car wheat, McQuiston & Smith; 1 car lime, Henderson Bro; 40 pkgs eggs, Owners; 48 hides, Simple & Day.

WEST PENNA. RAILROAD COMPANY, June 6.—225 sks oats, Adams Express; 3 do potatoes, R McCallen; 20 sks potatoes, Capt. Haslett; 5 cars metal, Graff, B & Co; 1 do lumber, Morrison & Co.

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RIVER NEWS.

The river remains unchanged and navigation is virtually suspended. No arrivals or departures and it is not likely that there will be for some time to come.

The Juniata will probably return to Cincinnati from Rochester flying light.

The St. Louis *Republican*, of Saturday, says: The Rover got out the largest amount of iron ore last night for Pittsburgh. Plenty of water from here out to Cairo. There has been some improvement in shipments for some days past. Boats bound south yesterday had all the freight they could handle. We have been informed that business on the river is steadily improving. The prospects for an active trade for the next twenty days are now regarded as flattering. Railroads have not destroyed the river business between this city and the Ohio. On the contrary, there has been more freight shipped to and from the Ohio during the present season than for ten years before. It would take 122 miles of railroad cars to transport all the freight taken from and brought to this port by boats, barges and flats by water this year.

A late dispatch from St. Louis says: Captain Holmes, one of the owners of the burned "Belle of Alton," received a dispatch yesterday from Captain John Hanks, now at New Orleans, stating that the jury before whom W. W. Marsh was examined had failed to find any evidence of his complicity in the destruction of that steamer, and he was, therefore, honorably discharged. What will become of Dixon, they are so hard, and as ill as Hanks turned out, falsely against him, has not yet transpired. W. W. Marsh bears an excellent character, and his many friends will be only too happy to hear of his acquittal. He will arrive home in a day or two, and resume his position as chief engineer of the Capitol City.

—Various rumors of late have been circulated to the effect that the iron steamer John T. Moore, running on Red River as an independent boat, has been obliged to succumb to the rice cup position of Jesse R. Hart's combination, but the following, cut from the Louisiana (Alexandria) *Democrat*, gives assurance that the Moore is not among the "hounds!" "The combination have sickened making false tilts at the iron steamer John T. Moore. After this she will be left alone 'in her glory' and well earned speed, and every other attribute combined to make up a perfect steamer. She reached here before 9 A. M. Monday, with a good freight and full of people.

—The river shipments of iron ore by the Iron Mountain Company, from May 28th to June 3d, inclusive, amounted to 5,725 tons, as follows:

To Ashland	2,395
To Pittsburgh	1,250
To Wheeeling	670
To Ironton	300
To Grand Tower	275
To Cincinnati	270
To New Albany	265

Charcoal pig iron shipped to the Ohio for same time 1,154 tons.

—Supplies for the Indians, under the Parker or government contract, are now at the wharf and will, it is believed, reach their destination in good time. Last night the Esperanza left with 80 tons sugar and 40 tons flour, the Viola Belle left last evening for Benton. The Silver Lake takes her departure to-morrow afternoon. The Far West and other boats will also take cargoes at an early day. The prospect of a good stage of water for most of the boats is excellent.—*St. Louis Democrat, 5th.*

—The Memphis *Avalanche*, of Friday, says: The tow-boat J. H. Bigley will be up to-morrow with empty barges. She goes to Columbus, Kentucky, where there is a tow of 250,000 bushels of coal awaiting her, and they brought down to this city for Bigley & Meliersh.

The Simpson Horner and empty barges passed up yesterday.

The Baltic passed down for the mouth of White river, with nine coal barges for account of Brown & Jones.

—Capt. Harry G. McComas attempted suicide by shooting himself in the head at New Orleans, Thursday. At last accounts recovery was doubtful. No cause for the rash attempt can be assigned by his friends, as his family relations were of the pleasantest, and his business in a flourishing condition. He was a steamboatman of twenty years' experience.

—The New Orleans *Republican*, of Friday, says: Captain Thos. W. Rea will leave on Sunday, for Pittsburgh, to superintend the new steamer Belle Rowland, which he is having constructed to run in Red River in connection with the Carter's line.

—John McGrath, a Pittsburgh steamboatman, died at the Charity Hospital, New Orleans, on Sunday, from the bite of a viper received on Bayou Teche, Louisiana. He left his family at Pittsburgh, who are in destitute circumstances.

The Belle Vernon left St. Louis for the Ohio River, via. the iron pile, on Saturday.

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HOME NEWS.

Persons leaving the city for summer resorts can have the Daily GAZETTE mailed to them by leaving their addresses at our counting room.

Third National Bank was sold last evening by A. McIlwaine, auctioneer, at his Stock Sales Rooms, 106 Smithfield street, for $134.

If will be noticed that among the advertised Wants, that a Clerk and also an assistant Housekeeper or officer of the Laundry is wanted at the House of Refuge.

Allegheny Nuisances.—A correspondent complains most justly of the wagon and rubbage nuisance in Park Way. He might with like justice have exposed the miserable condition of the portions of Gay and Middle alleys next to the Market Square, with which they are intended to communicate.

Interesting Ceremonies.—The Trustees of the Pennsylvania Female Seminary are about to erect a large extension to the present building, the corner stone of which will be laid with fitting ceremony at five o'clock P. M. tomorrow. The occasion will be one of special interest to the friends of a first-class seminary for young ladies, and will be attended by numerous citizens. A train will leave Union Depot at 4:30 P. M.

Pittsburgh Nuisances.—The clothing stores at the intersection of Market and Liberty streets, besides occupying too much of the sidewalk with their goods, which, in the interests of trade, might be overlooked, infest the same sidewalk with hummers seeking to victimize every passenger whom they think they can coax or coerce into their stores, with active, noisy, and often obscene and profane clamor at each other among the representatives of the rival shops. An efficient police officer is greatly needed here.

Letters retained for postage June 5, 1871.
Cunningham, John S. New York, 2c.
Holliday, Henry McKeesport, Pa. 3c.
Honeggan, Eugenia New York, 3c.
Murtland, C. Philadelphia, 3c.
Moss, Miss J. N. Peoria, Ill., 1c.
McElhenny, Miss A. Blairsville, Pa., 1c.
McCune, Wm. Pittsburgh, 2c.
Nolan, John Oneida, Pa., 3c.
Blakely, Cadet W. S., Chester, Pa. 3c.
Blair, Amelia, West Philadelphia, Pa. 3c.
Braun, Chas., Philadelphia, Pa. 3c.
Swift, Rev. E. E., Allegheny, Pa. 3c.
Zollinger, George, Harrisburgh, Pa. 3c.

Police Notes.

James Evins got a little "now come you so" Monday and drove recklessly around the Allegheny Parks almost running down scores of men and children. The police laid hold of James and yesterday morning he was released by paying a fine of twenty-five dollars and costs imposed by Mayor Callow.

Phillipsburg Soldiers' Orphans School.

At a special meeting held by the soldiers' orphans connected with the above school, June 4th, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the soldiers' orphans of the Phillipsburg School, tender their thanks to Colonel N. C. Smith for the great kindness he manifested in the various arrangements to meet their wants and wishes on the occasion of dedicating the Soldiers' Monument in Allegheny City.

Grace Memorial Church Festival.

This festival as we announced began on Monday night at City Hall, and will continue every day and evening this week. The attendance thus far has been encouraging, and besides the good things which abound, and the grand chorus of vocal music, visitors should be invited to this festival by the worthy object to which the proceeds are dedicated—the erection of a memorial church, for our colored Presbyterian friends, who greatly need and well deserve the sympathy and aid of their more prosperous christian friends.

Hold Larceny.

Yesterday afternoon a bold larceny was perpetrated in the Diamond Market, by a quartette of boys, whose ages range from twelve to fifteen years. Their names are Frank Hooper, O'Brien, Maloy and Jones. They were loafing about the butchers' stalls, and among others, they visited that of Henry Kreiling who had laid down his bank book, containing $25. One of the young thieves snatched the book, and the four scampered away together. The police were notified, and one of the lads, (Hooper) was arrested and locked up. From him, it was ascertained that the money was concealed by the others, but the police have not succeeded in finding it.

Meeting of Stockholders—Officers and Directors Elected.

A meeting of the stockholders of the new Tripartite Bridge Company was held at the St. Charles Hotel, Tuesday morning. James Caldwell, Esq., was called to the chair, and Messrs. Wm. S. Brown and David Robinson appointed Secretaries. The chairman announced that the meeting was called for the purpose of formally organizing the new company according to the provisions of its charter, and choosing a board of officers to serve until the regular election in January next. The following ticket was put in nomination and unanimously elected: President, Hon. A. K. Moorhead; Secretary, David Robinson; Treasurer, John H. McCune. Directors, D. Hostetter, James T. Wood, Jos. Walton, James Caldwell, R. M. Snodgrass, Wm. H. McCleary, Joseph Caskey, Alex. Patterson, W. Wilkins, Jr., and J. Boothe.

The Chairman then announced that the next thing in order would be the reception of credentials, which were then presented, all the districts being represented, excepting Indiana township, which was contested.

THE DELEGATES.

The Chairman then called for the credentials of the delegates, when the following were presented:

PITTSBURGH.

First ward—W. R. Boggs.
Second ward—Thos. H. Phelps.
Third ward—David Sims.
Fourth ward—W. A. Herron.
Fifth ward—J. Pears.
Sixth ward—Jos. Caskey.
Seventh ward—R. M. Snodgrass.
Eighth ward—Jas. McCandless.
Ninth ward—James Boyd.
Tenth ward—W. H. McCleary.
Eleventh ward—Robert Reed.
Twelfth ward, 1st Precinct—Jas. Rayburn.
Twelfth ward, 2d precinct—Calvin Barclay.
Thirteenth ward, 1st precinct—J. M. Hunter.
Thirteenth ward, 2d precinct—J. Harrison.
Fourteenth ward—John Whitehouse.
Fifteenth ward—S. J. Wainwright.
Sixteenth ward—1st precinct—S. McKinley.
Seventeenth ward—Alex. McClintock.
Eighteenth ward—John McMaster.
Nineteenth ward—Dr. P. D. Perchmeal.
Twenty-first ward—David Aiken.
Twenty-first ward, 1st. precinct—C. Small.
Twenty-first ward, 2d precinct—G. Cook.
Twenty-second ward—J. B. Sneathen.
Twenty-third ward—R. H. Palmer.

ALLEGHENY.

First ward—R. A. Young.
Second ward—J. McHendry.
Third ward, second precinct—John Stevens.
Fourth ward, first precinct—Hugh McNeill.
Fourth ward, second precinct—A. G. Ehler.
Fifth ward—Alex. Patterson.
Sixth ward—W. J. Grimbe.
Seventh ward—Wm. Schoudler.
Eighth ward—Wm. Krebs.
Ninth ward—Christ. Johnson.

BOROUGHS.

Elizabeth—R. B. Abrahams.
West Pittsburgh—Wm. Hartz.
Monongahela—John Rossiter.
Braddock—M. G. Corr.
Sewickley—Wm. Delaney.
Birmingham, 1st precinct—Geo. A. Powell.
Birmingham, 2d precinct—Daniel Wenke.
East Birmingham, 1st precinct—Wm. Jarvis.
East Birmingham, 2d pret—D. Sheppard.
Mt. Washington—Fred. Kauf.
Shrpsburg—Jas. Wilson.
M'Keesport—David Cunningham.
South Pittsburgh—Wm. Heary.
Ormsby—James Lamont.
Tarentum—Jos. C. Drum.
Millvale—S. P. Ketler.
Temperanceville—John S. Hollingshead.
Bellevue—W. R. Johnson.
Hilton—Wm. Welch.
Æna—Henry Holsters.
Allentown—John S. Logan.
St. Clair—Louis Fritz.

TOWNSHIPS.

Killbuck—Wm. Knoedeler.
Leet—F. M Live.
Plum—David Kinnman.
Penn—M. B. Mitchell.
Elizabeth, 1st precinct—Sam Scott.
Elizabeth, 3d precinct—Wm. Douglass.
Elizabeth, 4th precinct—F. Patterson.
Mifflin—Joseph S. Stone.
Robinson, 1st precinct—Wm. McDonald.
Robinson, 2d precinct—Joseph H. Glass.
Franklin—Thomas Duff.
Baldwin, 1st precinct—M. W. Linnell.
Baldwin, 2d precinct—David Cowan.
Ross, 1st precinct—John M. Brown.
Ross, 2d precinct—J. Negletten.
McCandless—Robert Guyton.
East Deer—H. W. Rows.
Upper St. Clair—Alex. Gillilan.
North Fayette—Vincent Miller.
Neville—James Dickson.
Shaler, 1st precinct—Wm. Semple. Sr.
Shaler, 2d precinct—J. B. Miller.
Sewickley—Connell Miller.
Wilkins—S. F. McKeivey.
Patton—R. McElroy.
North Versailles—A. M. Bowman.
South Versailles, 1st precinct—D. Richards.
South Versailles, 2d precinct—Jos. Perkins.
Jefferson—D. C. Speer.
Chartiers—Ed. Spring.
Findley—George Burns.
Ohio—Henry Oil.
Reserve—Chas. B. Welta.
Snowden—H. H. Murray.
Pine—E. Kidd.
West Deer—S. Hazlet.
Indiana—Ad. Grunnet.
Lower St. Clair—August Hass.
South Fayette—M. W. Morgan.
Sewickley—Alex. Miller.
Crescent—L. C. McCormack.
McClure—Jacob France.
Richland—Robert Dickey.
Union—John Shedden.
Hampton—John Walter.
Scott, 1st precinct—A. J. McQueely.
Scott, 2d precinct—H. Bookstoe.
Marshall—Wm. Snyder.
Harrison—C. W. Kermer.
Lincoln—C. Cauchey.
Forward—Wm. Snyder.
Stowe—John Caunhey.
Verona—J. C. Stewart.

On the completion of the reading of the list of delegates, the chair announced that the nomination of a permanent chairman was then in order.

Hugh McNeill, Esq., of the Fourth ward, Allegheny, was called to the chair by acclamation.

Mr. McNeill, on taking the chair, stated that he was no speech-maker, and supposed the Convention did not want to hear from him. He further said that we had met to nominate candidates for Controller, Treasurer and Director of the Poor, and he hoped that good and true men would be put on the ticket. After thanking them for the honor conferred, he announced that the Convention was ready for business.

A delegate moved that in conducting the nominations, the viva voce system be adopted. Carried unanimously.

On motion the temporary Secretaries were elected permanent Secretaries.

The Committee on Contested Seats—Messrs. Johnston of Bellevue; Trimble of 6th ward, Allegheny; Sneathen of 23d ward, Pittsburgh, committee on contested seat in Indiana township. They afterwards reported in favor of Wm. Genet.

The chairman then announced that nominations were then in order.

For Treasurer—Samuel Kilgore, Archibald Pillow, Thos. Patterson, Wm. A. Herron, Wm. Genet, not put in nomination.

For Controller—Henry Warner, W. C. Friend, Hervey Burns, were suggested.

For Director of the Poor, Jas. G. Murray, was nominated by acclamation by the delegates from the county, there being no opposition.

The first ballot was then taken with the following result, each delegate calling out for whom he voted:

FOR TREASURER.

Kilgore	56
Pillow	31
Patterson	27
Total	114
Herriott withdrawn.	

FOR CONTROLLER.

Warner	55
Friend	45
Shively	14
Total	114

There being no choice, a second ballot was ordered, which resulted as follows: Kilgore (the others having been withdrawn before the ballot was taken by their friends) received by acclamation amidst great enthusiasm.

FOR CONTROLLER.

Warner	72
Friend	42
Total	114

Shively withdrawn.

Mr. Warner was then declared the nominee for Controller, and upon being brought into the Convention was received with applause.

Pending the count by the secretaries, the Chair appointed the following gentlemen a committee on Resolutions—Messrs. David Aiken, Jr.; Denny O'Neil, Samuel Hastings, who now reported the resolutions, which appear in another place, and which were unanimously adopted. They endorse the State Convention and platform adopted by the Republican State Convention, and pledge Allegheny county for her usual majority. After giving three rousing cheers for the ticket nominated, the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

CONVENTION No. 2.

Commissioner and Surveyor.

Convention No. 2, for the nomination of candidates for Commissioner and County Surveyor, was held in the Common Council Chamber, City Building. By ten o'clock A. M. nearly all the delegates from the various districts of the county had assembled, and a temporary organization was effected, with W. B. Negley, Esq., as President, and Thos. S. Maple, K. Gallagher, W. J. Friday and Wm. Campion as secretaries.

LIST OF THE DELEGATES.

The Chair announced that the first business in order was the calling over by the Secretaries of the districts and the presentation of credentials by the delegates. This business was at once proceeded with, and credentials were handed in as follows:

PITTSBURGH.

First ward—W. J. Latimer.
Second ward—Chas. H. Mortmick.
Third ward—B. Gallisaith.
Fourth ward—Wm. B. Simpson.
Fifth ward—Joseph Hastings.
Sixth ward.—Thos. Lloyd.
Seventh ward—Harry Jones.
Eighth ward.—John Wallace.
Ninth ward.—John Fralich.
Tenth ward—W. J. Friday.
Eleventh ward.—W. H. Hazan.
Twelfth ward.—1st precinct, S. T. Palsley.
Twelfth ward.—2nd precinct, P. C. Melick.
Thirteenth ward.—1st precinct, W. S. Schlb.
Thirteenth ward.—2nd precinct, Thos. L. Dickson.
Fourteenth ward.—Ed. Lewellyn.
Fifteenth ward.—Wm. M. Konn.
Sixteenth ward.—1st precinct, Samuel R. Baldwin.
Sixteenth ward.—2nd precinct, Alex. D. Baldwin.
Seventeenth ward.—Wm. M. Perron.
Eighteenth ward.—Wm. Whiteman.
Nineteenth ward.—John L. Brown.
Twentieth ward.—Charles T. Neaf.
Twenty-first ward.—1st precinct, Robert Gumbert.
Twenty-first ward.—2nd precinct, Charles Stowater.
Twenty-second ward.—Gen. Thos. M. Howe.
Twenty-third ward.—Harrison D. Taylor.

ALLEGHENY.

First ward—James Orr.
Second ward—W. H. Douglass.
Third ward, 1st precinct—Richard C. Gray.
Third ward, 2d precinct—John Bush.
Fourth ward, 1st precinct—David Lewis.
Fifth ward—W. C. Cook.
Sixth ward—G. W. Weaver.
Seventh ward—John G. Walton.
Eighth ward—John C. Fisher.
Ninth ward—Joseph Chrisenton.

BOROUGHS.

Braddocks—Alex. Dempster.
Sewickley—M. Harbach.
Millvale—Orland Miller.
South Pittsburgh—W. H. Shergold.
Verona—A. M. Bell.
Mt. Washington—Jacob Wilbert.
East Birmingham, 1st precinct—Harvey Chess.
East Birmingham, 2d precinct—R. H. Clark.
St. Clair—Frederick K. Hampe.
Birmingham, 1st precinct—George Long.
Birmingham, 2d precinct—Wm. Barr.
Union—Robert Smith.
Chartiers—J. L. Graham.
Ormsby—Wm. Phullis.
West Pittsburgh—Lewis Owen.
Temperanceville—Park McKee.
Tarentum—J. F. Humes.
Allentown—Jacob Maple.
Sharpsburg—S. K. Murray.
McKeesport—D. C. Huffman.
Etna—J. S. Thomas.
West Elizabeth—W. Udan.
Bellvie w—E. Gleason.

TOWNSHIPS.

Killbuck—Jacob Brush.
Leet—Wm. L. Jones.
Plum—Alex. Hopkin.
Penn—David Collins.
Elizabeth, 1st precinct—R. M. Elliott.
Elizabeth, 4th precinct—James Patterson.
Robinson, 1st precinct—Peter Wilbert.
Robinson, 2d precinct—Wm. Aikin.
Moon—A. F. Frew.
Franklin—Jacob Seegler.
Baldwin, 1st precinct—Wm. Falkner.
Baldwin, 2d precinct—S. B. Moore.
McCandless—Fred. Nuhn.
Ross, 1st precinct—P. T. Larymore.
Ross, 2d precinct—Joseph Gudil.
East Deer—Henry Heidepohl.
Upper St. Clair—John D. Sanders.
North Fayette—G. W. McKee.
Neville—Wm. A. Shank.
Shaler, 1st precinct—Bauniine.
Shaler, 2d precinct—Thos. W. Shaw.
Fawn—John Dixon.
Wilkins—John C. Newmeyer.
Patton—Thos. McMasters.
North Versailles—John Dodd.
South Versailles, 1st precinct—Wm. Thomas.
South Versailles, 2d precinct—J. M. Love.
Jefferson—John Dickson.
Chartiers—J. L. Greham.
Finley—Baldwin Marshall.
Ohio—John M. Sanders.
Reserve—G. W. Dug.
Snowden—Isaac King.
Pine—Alexander Deace.
West Deer—Jno. Colwell.
Indiana—Edward Barton.
Lower St. Clair—Wm. Stark.
South Fayette—Joseph Campbell.
Sewickley—W. B. Hamilton.
Crescent—John Hamilton.
McClure—W. G. Stubbs.
Richland—Jas. McKeeby.
Union—Thos. Hartley.
Hampton—Wm. W. McKee.
Scott, 1st precinct—Wm. Smith.
Scott, 2d precinct—J. H. Robb.
Marshall—George Adams.
Harrison—A. A. Mitchell.
Lincoln—H. G. Edmondson.
Forward—Jas. Kelly.
Stone—James Colvin.
Mifflin—Jno. C. Risher.

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The chair—I have already decided that Gen. Howe is elected. If he chooses to decide otherwise he can come forward and do so.

Gen. Howe said he could not take the position under the circumstances. A division had been called for by a very respectable number of the delegates, and he would insist, therefore that the question be properly determined.

A division was thereupon taken, resulting in ayes, 36; nays, 14. Gen. Howe then came forward and in assuming the station of Presiding officer, made the following remarks:

SPEECH OF GEN. HOWE.

GENTLEMEN: I thank you for the honor of being called to preside over the deliberations of this Convention. I can only promise you in return that I will endeavor to discharge the duties of the Chair with impartiality.

The business before the County Executive Committee has assigned to this section of the Convention is to place upon the general ticket candidates for two offices to be voted for at the next election; the offices of County Commissioner and County Surveyor. Both of these offices are executive in their character and require for the proper discharge of the duties which devolve upon them of capacity and unquestionable integrity. To the former is confided the duty of defining the limits and bounds of property, while to the latter is assigned the supervisory control over the question of location, &c.

The office of Commissioner is perhaps the most important one of the county, for there has been conferred upon the Commissioners the duty formerly belonging to the courts, of licensing taverns for the accommodation of strangers and travelers. By the act of 1868 specially the three Commissioners are constituted a license board with full and exclusive control over the whole subject, and without appeal to the courts.

It becomes vastly important, therefore, that the persons selected for this office should be gentlemen of intelligence, capable of comprehending fully the object and purpose of the law which they are called upon to minister. Above all that they have the honesty and moral courage to discharge the duties for the best interests of the community may be conferred and the spirit of the law be at all times resolutely and firmly maintained.

I trust, gentlemen, that harmony and good feeling may characterize the deliberations, and that the result of our labors may redound to the best interests of the community at large.

It was moved that the present Secretaries be continued in their positions. Carried.

A motion that the voting for Director, *viva voce* was carried.

In calling over the list of districts it was discovered that there were two sets of credentials from West Elizabeth borough—there being a split in the party.

Mr. McCormick moved that a Committee on Contested Seats be appointed. Carried.

The Chair—How many shall the committee consist, and how shall it be appointed?

Many Voices—"Three;" "five;" "by the Chair;" "put in Committee."

It was finally decided that the committee should consist of five, and that the Convention should appoint it.

The following named gentlemen were then appointed—Messrs. Jacob Ihm, Wm. McKim, John Fralich, John C. Hisben, R. F. Smith.

Mr. Paisley here moved that when the Convention shall be ready to proceed to vote, at one o'clock P. M. He said that by that time there might be two vacancies in the Commissioners' office.

Capt. Graham moved to amend—that the Convention proceed at once to the nomination of candidates.

A vote was taken, and the chair announced that "the ayes appeared to have it."

A division was called for, and resulted in—ayes, 51; nays, 42. So the question was decided in the affirmative.

It was here suggested by a delegate that the Convention should not proceed to business until the questions as to contested seats had been determined.

A motion to adjourn till one o'clock was again made, and the time it was carried.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Convention No. 2 reassembled at one o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President, Gen. Howe.

The report of the Committee on Contested Seats was called for, when the chairman of that committee arose and presented it. The report set forth that credentials had been presented by Messrs. Udan and Lynch, each of whom claimed to have received the largest votes. It was in evidence before the committee that Mr. Lynch had been voted for as a delegate to another convention, and as he did not appear in person before this body to claim a seat, the committee felt constrained to report in favor of Mr. Udan. The contestants were from West Elizabeth.

The report was signed by all the members of the committee save one. This member stated that he had no objection to the report, except that there was no valid statute, as a reason for deciding against Mr. Lynch, that he was not present. Mr. Lynch was not here because he considered the vote a tie, and that neither he nor Mr. Udan were entitled to seats.

It was moved that the report be accepted, and the motion was carried.

Mr. Udan came forward, the acceptance carried with it the adoption of the report, and, there being no objection, the report stood adopted.

NOMINATION FOR COMMISSIONER.

Nominations for a candidate for County Commissioner were declared in order, when James McGonnigle of McKee's Rocks, and Joseph Dilworth of the Twenty-second ward were placed in nomination.

Capt. Cooper moved that the clerks in calling over the districts, be instructed to commence at the foot of the list. Carried.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Nominations for County Surveyor were then made as follows: Robert Clugston and M. B. Goff.

A motion was made that the room, the except lobby, be cleared of all persons not delegates to this Convention. The motion prevailed.

The voting for a candidate for Commissioner, was then proceeded with, but after some fifty or more districts had been called, a delegate arose and stated that he could point out a man who had voted three times.

Another delegate—I would like to see the man who voted for Moon township.

There was some confusion at this point, and loud cries of "put him out."

The President arose and, after order had been restored, addressed the convention, counselling harmony and honesty in their deliberations.

A clamour was again raised about outsiders being admitted to the floor.

The President said he had no power to put those persons out, but he hoped they would have the courtesy to retire.

A delegate moved a reconsideration of the vote on the motion to ballot for Commissioners. He said it was certainly the wish of the delegates that the nominations be fairly made, and as there had been complaints made by several of the delegates, he thought it proper that the vote should be reconsidered and the election proceeded again to call over the districts, commencing, as before, at the foot of the list.

The ballots resulted as follows: Dilworth, 66; McGonnigle, 51.

It was now moved that Mr. Dilworth's nomination be declared unanimous.

After the question had been put and voted on, the President said: "It appears to the Chair that the ayes have it, but it is clearly not unanimous. Therefore the motion is lost. Mr. Dilworth has received sixty-six votes, and Mr. McGonnigle fifty-one. Mr. Dilworth is therefore the nominee of the party for Commissioner."

A vote was then taken on County Surveyor, resulting as follows: Clugston, 76; Goff, 7. Mr. Clugston was declared the nominee.

The nomination was, on motion, made unanimous.

It was now moved that Mr. McGonnigle be declared the nominee of the party for Commissioner in the event of a vacancy in the Board.

The President decided that the motion was not in order. It was not in the power of this Convention to make a nomination in view of a contingency.

The following offered by Mr. Newmeyer, was passed unanimously:

Resolved, That we heartily endorse the nominations made for State officers by the Republican State Convention at Harrisburg, and will use our best efforts to promote their election.

Resolved, That we also approve, endorse and adopt the platform of that Convention as expressing fully, clearly and satisfactorily the views held by the Republicans of Allegheny county.

After a vote of thanks had been tendered to the officers, the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

CONVENTION NO. 3.

District Attorney and Assistant District Attorney.

This convention met in the room of the Court of Common Pleas. It was called to order by B. C. Christy, temporary chairman, appointed by the County Executive Committee, at the hour of 10 o'clock.

Quite a number of delegates were absent at the opening of the Convention but nearly all came in before any business of importance was transacted.

The Convention was perhaps the most orderly political gathering that has been held about the Court House for years, and their business was executed with such precision and dispatch as to desert special commendation. Immediately after the meeting had been called to order by Mr. Christy, it was moved by W. McCarthy, and carried, that Messrs. J. A. McDonald, W. J. Diehl, James Bradley and W. A. Woodward act as temporary Secretaries. The chair then appointed James Larimer as doorkeeper. On motion, proceeded to the calling of the roll of the delegates to the Convention.

The following are the delegates:

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A member thought Mr. M'Kim ought to have a show, and he therefore called for a division.

The chair—I have already decided that Gen. Howe is elected. If he chooses to decide otherwise he can come forward and do so.

Gen. Howe said he could not take the position under the circumstances. A division had been called for by a very respectable number of the delegates, and he would insist, therefore that the question be properly determined.

A division was thereupon taken, resulting in ayes, 36; nays, 14. Gen. Howe then came forward and in assuming the station of Presiding officer, made the following remarks:

SPEECH OF GEN. HOWE.

GENTLEMEN: I thank you for the honor of being called to preside over the deliberations of this Convention. I can only promise you in return that I will endeavor to discharge the duties of the Chair with impartiality.

The business before the County Executive Committee has assigned to this section of the Convention is to place upon the general ticket candidates for two offices to be voted for at the next election; the offices of County Commissioner and County Surveyor. Both of these offices are executive in their character and require for the proper discharge of the duties which devolve upon them of capacity and unquestionable integrity. To the former is confided the duty of defining the limits and bounds of property, while to the latter is assigned the supervisory control over the question of location, &c.

The office of Commissioner is perhaps the most important one of the county, for there has been conferred upon the Commissioners the duty formerly belonging to the courts, of licensing taverns for the accommodation of strangers and travelers. By the act of 1868 specially the three Commissioners are constituted a license board with full and exclusive control over the whole subject, and without appeal to the courts.

It becomes vastly important, therefore, that the persons selected for this office should be gentlemen of intelligence, capable of comprehending fully the object and purpose of the law which they are called upon to minister. Above all that they have the honesty and moral courage to discharge the duties for the best interests of the community may be conferred and the spirit of the law be at all times resolutely and firmly maintained.

I trust, gentlemen, that harmony and good feeling may characterize the deliberations, and that the result of our labors may redound to the best interests of the community at large.

It was moved that the present Secretaries be continued in their positions. Carried.

A motion that the voting for Director, *viva voce* was carried.

In calling over the list of districts it was discovered that there were two sets of credentials from West Elizabeth borough—there being a split in the party.

Mr. McCormick moved that a Committee on Contested Seats be appointed. Carried.

The Chair—How many shall the committee consist, and how shall it be appointed?

Many Voices—"Three;" "five;" "by the Chair;" "put in Committee."

It was finally decided that the committee should consist of five, and that the Convention should appoint it.

The following named gentlemen were then appointed—Messrs. Jacob Ihm, Wm. McKim, John Fralich, John C. Hisben, R. F. Smith.

Mr. Paisley here moved that when the Convention shall be ready to proceed to vote, at one o'clock P. M. He said that by that time there might be two vacancies in the Commissioners' office.

Capt. Graham moved to amend—that the Convention proceed at once to the nomination of candidates.

A vote was taken, and the chair announced that "the ayes appeared to have it."

A division was called for, and resulted in—ayes, 51; nays, 42. So the question was decided in the affirmative.

It was here suggested by a delegate that the Convention should not proceed to business until the questions as to contested seats had been determined.

A motion to adjourn till one o'clock was again made, and the time it was carried.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Convention No. 2 reassembled at one o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President, Gen. Howe.

The report of the Committee on Contested Seats was called for, when the chairman of that committee arose and presented it. The report set forth that credentials had been presented by Messrs. Udan and Lynch, each of whom claimed to have received the largest votes. It was in evidence before the committee that Mr. Lynch had been voted for as a delegate to another convention, and as he did not appear in person before this body to claim a seat, the committee felt constrained to report in favor of Mr. Udan. The contestants were from West Elizabeth.

The report was signed by all the members of the committee save one. This member stated that he had no objection to the report, except that there was no valid statute, as a reason for deciding against Mr. Lynch, that he was not present. Mr. Lynch was not here because he considered the vote a tie, and that neither he nor Mr. Udan were entitled to seats.

It was moved that the report be accepted, and the motion was carried.

Mr. Udan came forward, the acceptance carried with it the adoption of the report, and, there being no objection, the report stood adopted.

NOMINATION FOR COMMISSIONER.

Nominations for a candidate for County Commissioner were declared in order, when James McGonnigle of McKee's Rocks, and Joseph Dilworth of the Twenty-second ward were placed in nomination.

Capt. Cooper moved that the clerks in calling over the districts, be instructed to commence at the foot of the list. Carried.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Nominations for County Surveyor were then made as follows: Robert Clugston and M. B. Goff.

A motion was made that the room, the except lobby, be cleared of all persons not delegates to this Convention. The motion prevailed.

The voting for a candidate for Commissioner, was then proceeded with, but after some fifty or more districts had been called, a delegate arose and stated that he could point out a man who had voted three times.

Another delegate—I would like to see the man who voted for Moon township.

There was some confusion at this point, and loud cries of "put him out."

The President arose and, after order had been restored, addressed the convention, counselling harmony and honesty in their deliberations.

A clamour was again raised about outsiders being admitted to the floor.

The President said he had no power to put those persons out, but he hoped they would have the courtesy to retire.

A delegate moved a reconsideration of the vote on the motion to ballot for Commissioners. He said it was certainly the wish of the delegates that the nominations be fairly made, and as there had been complaints made by several of the delegates, he thought it proper that the vote should be reconsidered and the election proceeded again to call over the districts, commencing, as before, at the foot of the list.

The ballots resulted as follows: Dilworth, 66; McGonnigle, 51.

It was now moved that Mr. Dilworth's nomination be declared unanimous.

After the question had been put and voted on, the President said: "It appears to the Chair that the ayes have it, but it is clearly not unanimous. Therefore the motion is lost. Mr. Dilworth has received sixty-six votes, and Mr. McGonnigle fifty-one. Mr. Dilworth is therefore the nominee of the party for Commissioner."

A vote was then taken on County Surveyor, resulting as follows: Clugston, 76; Goff, 7. Mr. Clugston was declared the nominee.

The nomination was, on motion, made unanimous.

It was now moved that Mr. McGonnigle be declared the nominee of the party for Commissioner in the event of a vacancy in the Board.

The President decided that the motion was not in order. It was not in the power of this Convention to make a nomination in view of a contingency.

The following offered by Mr. Newmeyer, was passed unanimously:

Resolved, That we heartily endorse the nominations made for State officers by the Republican State Convention at Harrisburg, and will use our best efforts to promote their election.

Resolved, That we also approve, endorse and adopt the platform of that Convention as expressing fully, clearly and satisfactorily the views held by the Republicans of Allegheny county.

After a vote of thanks had been tendered to the officers, the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

CONVENTION NO. 4.

Senate.

The delegates to this Convention first assembled in the room of the Court of Quarter Sessions, to nominate two candidates for the Senate. They then called to order promptly at ten o'clock by Mr. Joseph Dilworth, who said: "As Chairman of the County Convention, I will call you to order, and preside until permanent officers are chosen. The first thing in order will be the election of temporary Secretaries."

Messrs. B. W. Morgan, W. H. Barker, R. S. P. McCall and R. G. Atkinson were chosen.

LIST OF DELEGATES.

The list of election districts was then called over, and the delegates presented their credentials as follows:

PITTSBURGH.

First ward—D. H. Campbell.
Second ward—Thomas Steele.
Third ward—R. W. Mackey.
Fourth ward—G. McClure.
Fifth ward—M. F. Egan.
Sixth ward—Andrew Moon.
Seventh ward—C. Jeremy.
Eighth ward—J. J. Boothe.
Ninth ward—Robert Richardson.
Tenth ward—Robert Johnson.
Eleventh ward—J. H. Hoffer.
Twelfth ward, 1st precinct—T. W. Welsh.
Twelfth ward, 2d precinct—Jno. R. Hague.
Thirteenth ward, 1st pret—R. G. Atkinson.
Thirteenth ward, 2d precinct—R. Dickson.
Fourteenth ward—C. L. Magee.
Fifteenth ward—Wm. Brown.
Sixteenth ward, 1st precinct—Thos. Merkel.
Sixteenth ward, 2d precinct—Samuel M'Elroy, Sr.
Seventeenth ward—J. L. Forsaith.
Eighteenth ward—C. W. Lewis.
Nineteenth ward—John H. Stewart.
Twentieth ward—W. H. Denniston.
Twenty-first ward, 1st pret—T. W. Lindsay.
Twenty-first ward, 2d pret—B. W. Morgan.
Twenty-second ward—Alex. Murdoch, Jr.
Twenty-third ward—James McKibben.

ALLEGHENY.

First ward—Thomas M'Kenna.
Second ward—George D. Riddle.
Third ward—1st precinct—Arthur Hobson.
Third ward 2d pret—George Tomlinson.
Fourth ward, 2d precinct—R. M. Blair.
Fifth ward—C. Hoch.
Sixth ward—Wm. Bleakely.
Seventh ward—Julius Schranke.
Eighth ward—Robert Rees.
Ninth ward—R. D. Jones.

BOROUGHS.

Elizabeth—J. N. O'Neill.
West Pittsburgh—R. S. Hemlup.
Monongahela—R. F. Perry.
Braddock—E. J. Allen.
Sewickley—J. W. P. White.
Birmingham, 1st precinct—C. W. Evans.
Birmingham, 2d precinct—P. M. Pearson.
East Birmingham, 1st precinct—G. E. Slocum.
East Birmingham, 2d precinct—N. Jones.
Mount Washington—T. J. Bigham.
Sharpsburg—H. F. Dunham.
McKeesport—B. Wilson.
South Pittsburgh—W. H. Barker.
West Elizabeth—S. P. Haney.
Ormsby—R. C. Dalzell.
Tarentum—E. S. McCall.
Millvale—Wm. Coates.
Temperanceville—Adam Weaver.
Bellevue—Wm. Roseburg.
Union—Jno. L. Vaughn.
Etna—R. Jones.
Allentown—John W. Torney.
St. Clair—A. Ammon.

TOWNSHIPS.

Killbuck—Jacob Robinson.
Leet—G. W. Murphy.
Plum—David Coon.
Penn—Joseph Hunt.
Elizabeth, 1st precinct—Samuel Kerr.
Elizabeth, 3d precinct—Robert Connell.
Elizabeth, 4th precinct—John H. Watson.
Mifflin—A. J. Sharpneck.
Robinson, 1st precinct—John Anderson.
Robinson, 2d precinct—Wm. Glass.
Moon—S. G. Ewing.
Franklin—E. Thompson.
Baldwin, 1st precinct—E. O. Williams.
Baldwin, 2d precinct—Martin Briggs.
Ross, 1st precinct—H. Gillespie.
Ross, 2d precinct—E. H. Cunningham.
McCandless